

# The Port Arthur News

## COUNCIL DELAYS JITNEY LAW 10 DAYS

### SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetious And Otherwise By "S. S."

Cloudy.  
Rotary today.  
Defense Day tomorrow.  
Art Burge in Dallas today.  
Fight night tonight at News.  
World series not far off.  
G. N. Bliss left today on business trip.  
Straw hats making their last stand this week.  
R. L. Drake expected back in Port Arthur Saturday.  
DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur 7, at Beaumont, 1.  
"If Fall comes, can business be far away?" asks one merchant.  
Student registration work started at Port Arthur High school today.  
Country club well about dry and golfers forced to miss their shower.  
TODAY'S WISCRACK: Easy on the whip, Phil, it's a hired horse.  
Ten days postponement granted by council today on traction franchise action.  
Ransom Brannen planning to get off to Polk county next week to spend his vacation.  
Many Port Arthur people attend funeral of W. C. Tyrrell at Beaumont this morning.  
THE TOWN PHOOL SAYS: If women had more sense there would be more bachelors.  
Cap'n J. F. Bader, pilots secretary, writes a map of Texas on the wall in his office this a. m.  
Y'know what a bozo is? Well, a bozo is one who thinks they sold fruit at Custer's last stand.  
Bob Latimer and Charley Frakes fish all over country north of Beaumont Wednesday and bring home one perch.  
"Dixie Revue of 1924", Legion show, passed into history after the performance at the Elks theatre Wednesday night.  
Heard: One woman calling another "Old dear". And she was only 20 years old. Probably she took it as a compliment.  
Hub Smith, riding in sea sled, makes a trip from here to Lake Charles (over 70 miles) in one hour and forty minutes.  
Poll Tax League meeting tonight at 7:30 in Waco park, at Sixteenth street and Waco avenue, A. F. Babin, chairman of the league, informs.  
Old barn built in 1900 burned down on Mrs. Lewis place on the Lewis road Wednesday afternoon. Burning spread to the barn, setting it on fire.  
Little Ralph Armistead, Jr., weight eight pounds, arrived Monday in Lake Arthur, La., but will soon take up his residence in Port Arthur with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Armistead, of 3501 Eighth street.

### Weather Report

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and Friday, unsettled, probably showers. FOR EAST TEXAS: Tonight, unsettled, showers in south portion. Friday, scattered showers; cooler in north portion. FOR LOUISIANA: Tonight, fair; warmer. Friday, partly cloudy; showers in north portion. WINDS ON TEXAS COAST: Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly. Forecast for West Gulf of Mexico: Gentle to moderate east and southeast winds and partly overcast weather tonight and Friday. Highest temperature yesterday, 88; lowest last night, 75; precipitation during last 24 hours, none. Year Ago Today: Highest temperature, 88; lowest, 72. Sunset this evening, 6:27 p. m. Sunrise tomorrow, 6:59 a. m. TIDE RECORD Time of high and low water at Sabine Pass Light under normal conditions on Friday, Sept. 12: taken from tables prepared by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey. High tides, 3:12 a. m., 3:15 p. m. Low tides, 9:45 a. m., 9:55 p. m. DAILY WEATHER BULLETIN Observations taken at 8 a. m. 7th meridian time which corresponds to 7 a. m. central time. First figures show lowest temperature last night; second highest yesterday; third precipitation during last 24 hours. Birmingham.....58 80 .00 Chicago.....50 55 .02 El Paso.....54 68 .00 Galveston.....50 54 .00 Houston.....74 .00 New Orleans.....74 78 .00 Louisville.....70 64 .00 Miami.....78 86 .02 New Orleans.....78 82 .00 New York.....46 62 .00 Oklahoma City.....70 92 .00 St. Louis.....52 64 .02 St. Paul.....54 68 .00 San Francisco.....62 86 .00 Shreveport.....66 88 .00 Tampa.....74 92 .00 Washington.....42 62 .00 TEXAS WEATHER AND ROADS Fair. Clear, roads good. Port Arthur—Partly cloudy; roads fair. Houston—Clear; roads good. San Antonio—Clear; roads good.

### BIG DEFENSE DAY PARADE FRIDAY

Port Arthur Observance to Be Big Affair TO FORM AT 5:30

Guard and Other Units In Line of March

Unanimous response to calls for men and resources of Port Arthur to line up in the observation of National Defense day in this city Friday afternoon has assured the success of the program, Col. C. H. Fitz-Gerald, general chairman, declared today. One of the features of the demonstration will be the courtmartial of 500 More For Parade Needed, Says Committee. More than 500 Port Arthurians have already agreed to fill out the ranks of the Defense Day parade Friday afternoon, it was announced by the recruiting committee this morning. A total of 1,000 is sought. These men will parade with the national guard and reserve officers. The committee, which is composed of Robert Miller, Harry Maize, G. M. Sims, Grover Stock, Sam McFadden, C. H. Fitz-Gerald and J. L. Dunn, is asking for at least 500 more men to signify their intention as soon as possible of joining in the parade. "Unpreparedness" at Austin avenue and Lakeshore drive before the parade starts. Spectacular features not yet revealed will take place immediately before the gathering for the parade. The committee will read various "Unpreparedness" and "Unpreparedness" will be found guilty, forced to stand up against a wall and "shot to death" by a firing squad. Charges against "Unpreparedness" will be read by Captain A. A. Nicholson. The parade will start immediately after the trial by courtmartial. The committee this morning said it was to be distinctly understood that no obligation whatsoever for military service would be incurred by joining in the parade, and that participation would merely evince loyalty and serve as a demonstration of the country's military preparedness. The committee said it did not want the parade to interfere with anyone's pursuit of duties, and would want only those who were free at that hour. "Everything is going fine, and all points to a rousing, community-wide (Turn to Page 2, Column 4.)

### NAME SPONSORS TO VETS MEET

Delegates to Convention Get Reduced Rates

Port Arthur girls named as sponsor and maids of honor for the gathering of Sons of Confederate Veterans in Port Worth on September 2 through October 3, are announced by Elmer H. Blalock, chief of staff of the Texas division, Sons of Confederate Veterans, as Miss Mattie K. Smith, sponsor; and Miss Thelma Tanner and Miss Lucile Beauchamp, maids of honor. Reduced rates on the Southern Pacific and the Gulf Coast Line railroads are assured for the delegates and visitors to the Port Worth convention. Blalock said, and it is expected that about 30 from Port Arthur and Beaumont will attend the conventions, the Sons of Confederate Veterans to meet September 30, and the Texas Confederate Veterans October 1, 2 and 3. A special train will leave Houston for Port Worth October 1, at 9:35 a. m., arriving at Port Worth that night at 7:40 o'clock, going over the Southern Pacific, the rates on this road being one and one-half fare, Blalock said.

### REGISTRATION DAYS FOR SCHOOL STUDENTS

Registration of low and high seniors in the High school who failed to show up at the building today, will be made Saturday morning, but any low juniors, or high sophomores who fail to register at the designated times, Friday morning for the low juniors, and Friday afternoon for the high sophomores, will have to wait until Saturday after the first week of school, or maybe until the second Saturday of the second school week, according to word from L. B. Davis, new High school principal here, today.

### BANK CLOSED DURING W. C. TYRRELL FUNERAL

The first National bank closed this morning from 10 to 11 o'clock in respect to the memory of Captain W. C. Tyrrell, whose funeral was held this morning.

## File Injunction to Bar 'Ma' Ferguson

SAYS VICTORY BY MA MEANS JIM

Claims Deposed Governor Again Would Rule WOMAN 'NOT ELIGIBLE' Ferguson Says Step is Blow Against Suffrage

AUSTIN, Sept. 11.—An appeal for an injunction to keep the name of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson of Temple, democratic nominee for governor, off the official ballot in the general election, was on file in the 53rd district court here today. The petition, which charged that Mrs. Ferguson would be, if elected, "a figurehead or governor in name only," and that a woman was not authorized by the state statutes to hold office of governor, was filed by Charles M. Dickinson of San Antonio. Defendants Named. Defendants in the suit were listed as the woman nominee, her husband, former Governor James E. Ferguson, the secretary of state and county election officials throughout the state. It was also requested that a hearing to make the ruling temporary be held Monday. The petition further charges that the former governor is "the real candidate for the purpose of circumventing and evading the force and effect of the impeachment decree." It was also argued that in event of election, Mrs. Ferguson's salary from (Turn to Page 2, Column 2.)

### GUNS TRAINED ON DEMO RACE

Wheeler Takes Parting Shot At J. W. Davis

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Progressive guns were turned on John W. Davis, the democratic candidate, as Senator Burton K. Wheeler, independent spokesman for Senator La Follette, today wound up his New York speaking tour at this western rim of the state. Wheeler detailed a list of charges against Davis which he contended proved conclusively that the democratic nominee is "more to the liking of Wall street than is this careful, courageous, sober, silent, unthinking man who sits in the White House."

### Mrs. R. C. Brown Will Be Buried Friday

Mrs. Rosa Cornelia Brown, 48, a resident of Port Arthur for the past 24 years, died in Mary Gates hospital about 8:10 a. m. today after a brief illness. Funeral services will be conducted from the Grammer funeral chapel Friday at 4 p. m. Rev. R. K. Yelderman, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating, and burial will be made in Greenlawn cemetery, under the direction of J. E. Grammer, undertaker. Mrs. Brown made her home at 510 Ninth street, and is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Mary Ward and Mrs. Martha Koch, both of Port Arthur; a half-brother, Rudolph Norton, and a nephew, Louis Ward.

### ROTARIANS TO MARCH IN DEFENSE PARADE

Members of the Rotary club will march in a body in Friday's defense day program. This was voted by the club today in its weekly program luncheon at the Plaza. Camp Fire Girls entertained the Rotarians today, those participating being: Indian dance, Lois Latimer, Floy Swearingin, Reulah Fitzer and Helen Davis; piano solo, Lois Krohn, violin solo, Helen Johnson; reading, Bernice Moore.

### FISTS SMASH HUBBY OF ACTRESS IN JAIL

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 11.—John C. Howard's fists today smashed him an entrance into jail again. Howard, erratic husband of Ora Carew, former picture star, now headlining in vaudeville and the scion of a wealthy Haverhill, Mass., family, was lodged in the city prison at an early hour charged with intoxication.

### GIRLS, DO YOU CLOSE YOUR EYES WHEN YOU KISS HIM, LIKE THIS?



GIRLS, when you kiss him, how do you do it and why? Is it because you like it best that way? Is it to make it just as easy for yourself as you can? Or is it just because? Behind this bulkhead of woman's reason lies a variety of answers. We've got to admit as first premise that Port Arthur girls are the most kissable in the whole country. It's not a hard job for the lucky man—but for the girl that's different again. What's your reason? There's a sea of arguments, and not all of it, Horatio, is theory. As witness: "I think you're impertinent, but you look harmless and I'll tell you," said a fair girl drug store cashier. "I close my eyes because he has a mole on his nose, and when I get a close-up on it it looks as big as the Franklin school building."

### CAPT. TYRRELL BURIED TODAY

Funeral of Capitalist is Held From His Home

Funeral services for Captain W. C. Tyrrell, 78, widely known capitalist who had extensive holdings in Port Arthur, were conducted at 10 a. m. today from his residence, 1347 Calder avenue, Beaumont, with Rev. J. Walter Mills, pastor of the First M. E. church, officiating. Burial was made in Magnolia cemetery, Masonic organizations, of which Captain Tyrrell was a member, having charge of the services at the grave. Captain Tyrrell was found dead in bed about 1 o'clock Sunday morning, death having occurred about half an hour before the body was found by Dr. Garth, son-in-law of Captain Tyrrell. A number of Port Arthurians attended the funeral services at Beaumont today.

### DALLAS LAWYER SHOT TO DEATH

Slaying Occurs In Elevator Of Bank Building

DALLAS, Sept. 11.—Paul M. O'Day, attorney, was shot and instantly killed as he entered an elevator in the American Exchange bank building here today. Part of his face was blown away by the first of several shots from a shot gun fired at close range and another took effect in his abdomen. William L. Crawford, "was taken into custody in connection with the shooting. Crawford had been standing near the entrance to the building when O'Day, according to bystanders.

### "THE BIG THREE" TO ENTER IN PARADE

An added feature for the Defense Day parade Friday afternoon is arranged by Boy Scouts of Troop 16, who plan to turn out with a member of "The Big Three" for the event. E. R. Clements, Scoutmaster of the troop, said today. "The Big Three" are the fathers of the Scouts, boys who are eligible for membership in the Scout organization but are not members, and big brothers of the Boy Scouts, Clements explained. Members of Troop 16 have been urged to turn out 100 per cent, all in their full Scout regalia, and assemble with "The Big Three" at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Memorial Library and then go to the K. C. S. depot to fall in the parade.

### HERMAN J. MOORE RETURNS TO GOTHAM

After a visit to his mother, Mrs. Herman J. Moore, 2216 Eighth street, and relatives in Beaumont, Kelly E. Smith left today for New York City by boat to resume his work with the Bonded Products corporation as salesman throughout Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio.

## Citizens in Petition Ask 9th Court To Speed Bond Verdict

Meeting in Mayor Logan's Office Cites Lack of Sewerage, Fire Protection, Health Menace

A petition endorsed and signed by about 75 Port Arthurians at a meeting in Mayor J. P. Logan's office Thursday night, asking judges of the Ninth Court of Civil Appeals to dispose of the appeal of the Harris injunction suit against the city's proposed million dollar bond issue at the earliest date possible, is being circulated here today. Mayor Logan called the meeting to order, J. M. Rogers reading the petition, which is intended for presentation to the judges of the Ninth Court of Civil Appeals, C. G. Parker, real estate man, who attended, said today. All attending the meeting to the number of about 75 signed the petition. Parker said. Commissioner B. J. Wade attended the meeting. Commissioner Ben H. Wiley was not present. Requested by those in the meeting for an opinion regarding the fitness of presenting the document to the appeal court judges, Vernon J. Wistner, who said he was asked to attend by Mayor Logan, told the gathering that he thought it would be all right, and would not be improperly construed by the court. Parker was delegated at the meeting Thursday night to give out copies of the petitions for circulation, he said. Those circulating the petitions have been asked to bring them to Parker, at the Martin Lumber company, when enough signatures have been put down, he said. After all of the copies are in, with the signatures, the signed petition will be presented to the judges of the Ninth Court of Civil Appeals by City Attorney Wistner and a delegation. The petition now being circulated, which those sponsoring it desire shall carry the names of every tax payer in the city, Parker said, sets forth that in the event the civil appeals court holds the previous bond issue shall be set aside, it is "our desire to again submit the matter to the citizenship."

### ASKS EARLY DECISION

Copy of the petition being circulated, addressed to "The Hon. Highways, O'Quinn and Walker, judges of the Ninth court of civil appeals," is as follows: "Disclaiming emphatically any motive (Turn to Page 7 column 2.)

### J. F. TROST AND FAMILY RETURN

Traveled 5,300 Miles With But One Puncture

J. F. Trost and family and P. G. Trost have returned after an extended tour through Colorado, California, Utah, and other western states. "We traveled 5,300 miles and only had one flat tire on the entire trip," Mr. Trost said this morning. "The roads are in good condition and our trip was unusually delightful. We visited all points of interest on our route and twice climbed mountains which were capped with snow." Mr. Trost announced that the Trost studio had been reopened after the summer months.

### ASK BUSINESS HOUSES TO CLOSE 1 HOUR

Request that business establishments in Port Arthur close one hour before the Defense Day parade, scheduled to move up Proctor street Friday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock, was made today by Mayor J. P. Logan and Col. C. H. Fitz-Gerald, general chairman of the celebration.

### PLAN PERMANENT POLL TAX LEAGUE

Permanent organization of the Port Arthur Poll Tax league, and the officers' election is scheduled to take place at the meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Waco park. Seventeenth street and Waco avenue, A. F. Babin, chairman of the league, said today. Several speakers are expected to address the gathering along the lines of poll tax payments, and voting at the regular elections. Babin said.

### ARTHUR S. KAHN IS NAMED VICE CONSUL

The legation of Haiti at Washington, D. C., has appointed Arthur S. Kahn to replace his late brother, Armand E. Kahn, as vice consul of Haiti for this district, according to word received by A. S. Kahn this morning.

## COMMITTEE TO CONTINUE WORK

Resumes Function to Bring Trolley Settlement WIRE BOSSLER TODAY

Conference Irons Out Misunderstandings

Two city ordinaries throwing city streets open to operation by jitney lines, lacking only one more reading to become effective, were held up by city commission for ten days following conference today between the Chamber of Commerce committee and the city commission. At the expiration of the ten-day period, looking definitely from President Bossler of the Port Arthur Traction company that extensions will be built, not only in the present tentative agreement reached between the committee and Bossler, but for future extension programs as needed during the 50 years life of the proposed franchise, Mayor Logan made it clear that the commission "would crack down" and pass the ordinance already given two readings to a third, all that is required, following official publication, to make them effective. Ten More Days Agreed. The committee today asked for two weeks additional time. Mayor Logan agreed to ten days, asking that the committee at once get into telegraphic communication with Bossler in an effort to effect a settlement as early as possible within that period. Members of the committee actively took the floor in behalf of the committee's functions as agreed mediators in the street car controversy between the city commission and traction company. This was, in effect, that the matter appeared to them to have definitely been taken out of their hands, leaving the committee high and dry in negotiations with Bossler. It was agreed that a mix-up had occurred which had contributed to this misunderstanding, this following publication of a letter purporting to detail the street car company's attitude. Members of the committee professed to know nothing whatever of the correspondence until apprised of it through an item in The News. Franchise Clause Refused. High point of the conference came when the mayor told the committee that the commission would not under any condition approve the proposal of the traction company to restrict jitneys for 50 years in return for present extensions. Mayor Logan insisted the commission would accept no such franchise without a counter proposition from the traction company that extensions will be granted as city growth warrants. The argument for more time was first taken up by G. N. Bliss, who yesterday requested today's conference and started off message of the mayor's ordinance yesterday. As Bliss left to catch a train, Dr. M. F. Bledsoe, acting chairman of the committee, took the floor. Dr. Bledsoe told the commission that a telegram had been sent President Bossler of the traction company at Cleveland, Ohio, Tuesday at 6 p. m. but that no answer had been received. Upon request of Mayor Logan, all communications hereafter will be handled by telegraph in order that there be no delay. Logan offered to have the telegrams charged to the city, but the committee said the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping association would be used. Holiday Season a Handicap. Considerable portion of the meeting was taken up with presentations of why no result had been gotten, on account of summer vacations and delays in letters. "What we want is service, of course," Mayor Logan told the committee as Dr. Bledsoe requested two weeks more for the committee to reach an agreement. "We have never wanted jitneys, that being only a last resort. We didn't want to go ahead without giving all a chance—that's why we have messed around for eight months. It took the traction company attorneys three months to draw franchise, when it should have taken him only a day and a half. After Bliss had presented the request for more time, Dr. Bledsoe rose and sketched the part of the committee throughout the summer. On July 16 Bledsoe was recommended as acting chairman of the committee during the absence of R. L. Drake, chairman. Franchise Not Given Committee. "When we met yesterday, I asked: 'Has any member of this committee ever seen the resumed ordinance with changes suggested by the commission?' Everybody said, 'No.' Dr. Bledsoe added that he could understand the difficulties caused by vacations and getting in touch with various parties. The acting chairman said the committee had never been officially notified by the commission of the suggested ordinance changes, and had never seen the changes suggested by the commission. The mayor asked whether it was not the business of the committee to (Turn to Page 2, Column 1.)

## FIRST FAIR TO SET FAST PACE

Big Amusement Company To Be Engaged

Future Port Arthur fairs will have a fast pace set for them by Port Arthur's first annual fair to be held October 4 to 18, inclusive dates. This was indicated today with reports from Chairman F. E. Gifford of the fair, a that postponement from original dates has resulted in the board's being able to greatly extend original plans and secure some of the best attractions ever to participate in a Texas fair. Many Amusements. One of the biggest and best amusement companies possible will be engaged to bring their attractions here for the fair, and the marid gras spirit will be loosened on the "white way" down Pleasure Pier. Exhibitions, a style show, demonstrations and the amusement places will be nightly to attract throngs of merry-makers to the pier, and the automobile dealers are planning a parade for one afternoon during the fair week. In addition to the exhibits from Port Arthurians, a number of outside manufacturers and mercantile establishments have engaged spaces in the display buildings for entering offerings. Rail Revenue. AUSTIN, Sept. 11.—Net revenue from operation of Texas railroads continues large, according to official figures compiled by the railroad commission. For the six months ending June 30 of this year the net revenue was \$17,187,563, an increase over the same six months of the preceding year of \$6,626,322, or 63.67 per cent. For the first six months of this year the total operating revenue was \$99,404,292, an increase over the six months of last year of \$10,417,897, or 11.71 per cent. The operating expenses were \$82,216,659, an increase of \$3,791,544 over the first six months of last year, or 4.75 per cent. The ratio of operating revenues to operating expenses was 82.71 compared to 88.20 last year's six months.

### WEDDELL IN CHARGE OF LIONS' PROGRAM

George Weddell, Southern Pacific agent in Port Arthur, is going to "railroad" the program at the Lions club regular weekly luncheon at the Plaza hotel Friday, and George E. Carter, president of the Lions, is warning the bunch to be careful about walking on the tracks, L. J. Paschal, secretary of the club, set forth in his letter to the Lions today. Cooler weather and vacationing members returning are expected to increase the attendance, Paschal stated.



## BAPTIST CHURCH NAMES OFFICERS

**A. M. Billingsley Licensed to Preach, Also**

At the regular conference of the Memorial Baptist church last night the following officers were elected to serve during the coming associational year:

L. W. Meyer, church clerk; J. A. Elias, president; G. M. Nichols, church treasurer; J. G. Philen, Sunday school superintendent; Mrs. Rena Smith, assistant; Clarence Bouse, secretary and treasurer; M. D. Boyd, superintendent of the Mission Sunday school; C. Reeves, assistant, and Mrs. L. W. Meyer, secretary.

**To Report Election**  
By motion the church instructed the several departments to report their officers to the next regular conference for ratification.

Announcement was also made that the Memorial Baptist church had licensed A. M. Billingsley to preach at the Memorial Mission, where the church was formerly located. Sunday school and church services "will be held as usual at the mission but the main services will be held at the tabernacle, Sixteenth and Shreveport avenue.

## COMMITTEE TO

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militarize itself with the developments. "As acting chairman, I never received word," said Dr. Bledsoe, George M. Craig, another committee member, added he had never received notice either.

In the exchanges it developed that Travis Holland and Henry Lohmann had been the only committee members present when the traction company's proposed franchise was discussed by the commission and City Attorney Wistner. Holland, present this morning, said someone had called him by telephone. Lohmann was absent this morning.

It was developed that a letter was drafted by Wistner, sketching four main points of objections to the franchise made by the city commission, and was mailed to Holland, who was one of the spokesmen at the meeting when the franchise was first taken up.

Dr. Bledsoe then suggested that the only delay on the part of the committee had been from August 27, the date of a city communication officially addressed to himself, until the present date.

"It doesn't make any difference anyway, why committee members didn't show up at the meetings," the mayor said referring to the letter containing city objections not being mailed to Acting Chairman Bledsoe.

"Ten minutes after that letter was opened," said Holland, referring to Wistner's letter sketching the city objections, "Howard Smith came in and I showed the letter to him." Smith sent the four grounds of city objection to the franchise to President Bledsoe by registered mail, soon after receiving an answer from Bledsoe in which Bledsoe didn't like some of the things," Holland told the meeting this morning.

**No Answer From Bledsoe**  
Bledsoe's letter was addressed to Smith, who in turn mentioned the contents to Holland, although Holland said "to this day I have never seen that letter." Holland said Bledsoe wrote Smith the matter would be placed before the traction directorate, but that certain of the directors were off on vacation. Nothing further had been heard from the traction president, it was indicated this morning.

Some argument ensued as to how long a renewed lease of operation the committee should be granted. Bliss originally first asked for three or four weeks, and Dr. Bledsoe requested two weeks. The mayor proposed one week, while Commissioner Wade offered a ten-day "truce."

Dr. Bledsoe said the committee needed a week, and might possibly have something new to say within two or three days, and again might need a day or two more than a week, should there be a delay in securing word from President Bledsoe.

"I know that's exactly what he'll do, Doctor," answered Logan, referring to the traction president and possible delays.

"All right, ten days," said Logan finally.

Both Bliss and Craig told the meeting it would be unwise to place the property of the traction company into the jeopardy of receivership because of the bad effect it might have on other industries to Port Arthur.

"If any public utilities go into receivership, it has a very detrimental effect," Bliss said. "We feel there is nothing the traction company would not agree to, except as regards the proposition on extension of lines, and there only as to who shall say when extensions shall be made."

Both Bliss and Craig insisted the committee had interest in the traction only as in common with other citizens.

## SAYS VICTORY

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the state would be community property to which Ferguson would be entitled a share, although being barred from receiving emolument from the State of Texas by virtue of his impeachment.

The attempt to nullify the nomination of Mrs. Ferguson was not pre-empted by a desire to benefit Felix D. Robertson, klan candidate, who was defeated for the nomination by the woman candidate, Dickinson stated. "I am opposed to the klan in politics and against Robertson," Dickinson said.

## ANOTHER SLAP AT WOMAN SUFFRAGE

TEMPLE, Texas, Sept. 11.—"Another slap at woman suffrage," was the characterization by former Governor James E. Ferguson here today in commenting upon the injunction proceedings filed at Austin to keep the name of his wife, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, democratic nominee for governor, off the general election ballot.

"The fight against my wife centers about the reactionary movement of politicians, who have been the chief agitators of woman suffrage," Ferguson declared. "These same advocates," Ferguson continued, "have fought for the right of women vote for men candidates, but attack the legality of women to hold office."

## DISTRICT JUDGE AWAY ON TRIP

AUSTIN, Sept. 11.—District Judge George Calhoun, in whose court the Ferguson injunction case was filed, is away on a fishing trip not to return until the end of the week and it was stated by the district clerk on Thursday, that, no setting will be made until Judge Calhoun returns.

Dickson asked that it be heard next Monday, but this may be impossible in view of the late return of the court.

## KYLE THEATRE IS UNDER FIRE

**Injunction Against Goss Is Sought By Partner**

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 11.—Two applications for injunctions involving the Kyle theatre here were filed in district courts yesterday. J. B. Elliott, formerly of Port Arthur and lately manager of the Kyle, seeks to restrain Milton Goss, from dissolving partnership with him. He declares that an attempt has been made to take away his control in the theatre.

The other injunction was filed by W. W. Kyle, owner of the property in which the theatre is located. He asks recovery of \$500 rental.

The cases have been set for hearing on Tuesday.

## WORLD ROAD MEETING IN BEAUMONT SOON

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 11.—Representatives from all parts of Jefferson county will meet here Saturday morning in the interest of road improvements. The meeting will be of an informal nature and plans outlined for laying the proposition before the commissioners court on Monday morning. A bond issue for new roads will probably be called this fall since money for road building has been used already.

## NOTICE

Dr. T. A. Fears is not associated with my office any more.

Frank D. Mabry, M. D.

## 11 WEEKS FOR CRIMINAL CASES

**Over 50 Cases Are Set By Judge O'Brien**

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 11.—Judge George C. O'Brien, 58th district court, will devote 11 weeks to hearing criminal cases in an effort to clear his docket. More than 50 cases have been set for hearing in the first two weeks and other settings will be made promptly. There are now more than 300 cases on the criminal docket of the 58th court.

## COURT DOCKET

**Suits Filed**

W. W. Kyle vs. Guy Cude.

J. B. Elliott vs. Milton Goss.

Expurte Mrs. Sarah Zummo.

**Divorces Filed**

Leota Sangston vs. Glen Sangston.

Claud Crouch vs. Lucy Crouch.

L. Day vs. D. Pave.

**Marriage Licenses**

A. W. LeNoir and Miss Margaret Gertrude Ault.

J. H. Lloyd and Miss Ione Cooley.

Lon Johnson and Gladys Walker.

Calvin Evans and Mrs. Katherine Kennedy.

R. E. Watkins and Mrs. D. E. Dresser.

**Automobile Licenses**

A. R. James, box 224, Port Arthur.

Ford.

## PHONE INJUNCTION HEARING CALLED

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 11.—Hearing of an application for injunction filed by Earl Dupree, local contractor, against the Southwestern Bell Telephone company will be held before Judge J. D. Campbell this afternoon. The injunction has created a great deal of interest, since it is believed the hearing will determine whether or not a telephone company can force a subscriber to use a party line when the subscriber desires a straight line. Dupree contends that the telephone company discontinued his service and then refused to give him a one-party line.

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## WANTS CHURCH AID IN V. OF A. DRIVE

Appeal for 50 Port Arthur church women to offer their services for the work of making a city-wide canvass for funds to finance the work of the Volunteers of America in Port Arthur next year when the organization's campaign is put on October 1 to 15, was made today by Mrs. J. R. Slade, in charge of the Volunteers in this city.

It is estimated that the organization can carry on its work next year with \$5,000 raised during the proposed drive the first two weeks in next month and the collections made by tambourine solicitations on pay days and holidays. Mrs. Slade said. Emblems for putting up in residences where contributions are made to the Volunteers have been ordered.

## DEFENSE DAY

(Continued from Page 1.)

gathering for parade and program arranged to bring out the three-fold design on National Defense day," Fitz-Gerald said, pointing out the day was set apart for the following:

## St. Michael Anniversary

1. Celebrate the sixth anniversary of the battle of St. Michael, when United States soldiers launched their first distinctive campaign, going over the top at 4:05 a. m. on September 12, 1918.

2. Bring out the nation to pay tribute to General John J. Pershing, commander-in-chief of the American Expedition forces in France, upon his 61st birthday and retirement from active service with the army.

3. Make it possible for the plans and contents of the National Defense act, passed by congress, to be laid before the nation, and to take an inventory of the country's manpower, resources and equipment which can be had ready in the event another war breaks out.

## Parade to Form at 5:30

Featuring the observance of Defense Day here Friday, will be the parade scheduled to form at the K. C. S. depot, Houston avenue and

Procter street, and move off up Procter street at 5:30 p. m. to Lions park, where music and speeches will comprise a suitable program. Mayor Logan, with his staff, will lead the parade, while overhead airplanes will soar, dropping smoke bombs along the line of march.

Since announcement of the formal program for parade and ceremonies at Lions park, Procter and Stilwell boulevard, the motor truck corps has been entered by Port Arthur contingents. Two army airplanes, piloted by fliers in the U. S. army aviation service, will come over from Kelly field, San Antonio, to participate in the celebrations here.

## Defense Day Program

The program to be given in Lions park, together with the line-up of the 21 parade units will be as follows:

Invocation will be by Rev. A. G. Gratton. This will be followed by a hymn by the audience. Speaker of the occasion will be Rev. E. C. Weidner. Congregational singing of a patriotic hymn will follow the address and the meeting will close with benediction by Rev. V. A. Godfrey.

All reserve officers unassigned for the parade were urged today by C. H. Fitz-Gerald to get in touch with him or E. B. McSwain at once.

Members of the committee who planned the program and parade were Bob Miller, E. V. Hay, A. C. Reichle, A. L. Buge, Grover Stock, J. H. LeBlanc and Miss Edna Collins, Red Cross secretary.

## Divisions in Parade

Complete line of march with leaders, formation and instructions for the 21 parade units or divisions follows:

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STUDEBAKER HAS NEW MODEL OUT

Different Type Open, Closed Car Is Forecast

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Sept. 11.—On the inside, who have seen carefully guarded new Studebaker cars, are predicting nothing short of a sensation for American motorists when they are publicly announced this coming Sunday, Sept. 14.

Chief among these is said to be an entirely new type of body, of pressed steel, which is both an open car and a closed car. The entire top of the car is shaped in steel, and covered with water-proof moleskin fabric. The device for converting the car into a closed car is said to be entirely new and almost instantaneous in operation. The new type car will not be higher in price than the average open car, according to advance predictions.

A Complete Change  
This is the first complete change in models that Studebaker has announced in six years. People may reasonably expect drastic changes and not be disappointed, say those who have seen the new models.

Studebaker engineers combed the motor centers of Europe last year for new ideas, not only in style and appearance but in mechanical design. As a result the new lines and appearance suggest foreign distinction. Although the new Studebaker cars are unlike any present American or foreign cars in appearance, they are said to be exceptionally beautiful.

New Ideas Throughout  
According to inside sources, extra-ordinary and deeply crowned fenders have been designed especially for the new type of large balloon tires. Further predictions are: "That there will be an entirely new four passenger model on one of the three lines—an especially beautiful car with new ideas in comfort and coziness."

A Brand-New Six  
There is an entirely new six which comes from the new factories at South Bend, according to reliable information. It is said to be larger than the former light six and to include many new features which give it remarkable power and performance. Although a medium-sized car, it has been so designed that the driver's compartment has as much room as that of the largest car, reports have it.

The Studebaker factories both in Detroit and South Bend have been in production, full force, for the last 30 days, and the new cars have been shipped to every part of the United States for the first public announcement and display to be made next Sunday.

Closed Bodies

All of the new closed bodies are now manufactured complete by Studebaker. In material, workmanship, and finish they are said to be as fine as any closed bodies ever produced in this country. Prices of the closed cars will range from about \$1395 to \$2890 according to the chassis model on which they are mounted, it is forecast.

TARIFF BUREAU MEET WILL BE IN DALLAS

AUSTIN, Sept. 11.—The September meeting of the Texas-Louisiana tariff bureau will be held in Dallas Thursday instead of in Austin, it was announced Wednesday by A. C. Fonda, chairman. There are about 80 topics on the docket.

BEADED BAGS

Very long and finely beaded bags mounted on gold or silver frames are being carried by the very smart, cat women.

MARKETS

WALL STREET JOURNAL FINANCIAL REVIEW

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Indications were supplied by the action of today's market that the forces behind the advance in stock prices over the last three months have lost none of their power.

After a season of dullness in the morning hours during which professional speculators made a futile attempt to depress the general list by attacking the shares of the northwestern roads, the market developed activity at rising prices in the afternoon demonstrating that the main drift of values was still upward.

It is possible to conclude from the significant shrinkage in activity which the market displays when prices start to fall that the important holdings of stocks are still in strong hands. In view of this condition and the existence in this country of a tremendous reservoir of cheap credit, it is not likely that the current period of correction will cause a prolonged interruption of major bull swing which started last June in anticipation of the business revival already in evidence in many directions.

Stocks maintained an upward trend through the last hour and the closing day was seen in the final dealings. Bullish activities were especially pronounced in the oil group. Houston advanced to 53 against Wednesday's low of 51, while Pacific oil reached new high ground at 52, the move at 49, and Marland at 52.

The market closed higher.

U. S. Steel 107 1/2 up 1/2  
Baldwin 121 1/2 up 1/2  
Studebaker 29 1/2 up 1/2  
American Can 124 1/2 up 1/2  
Cast Iron Pipe 104 1/2 up 1/2  
American Woolen 53 1/2 up 1/2  
Famous Players 80 1/2 up 1/2  
General Electric 255 1/2 up 1/2  
Marland 52 1/2 up 1/2  
Coca Cola 71 1/2 up 1/2  
New York Central 107 1/2 up 1/2  
Great Northern 62 1/2 up 1/2  
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D. L. & W. 140 1/2 up 1/2  
Pittsburgh and West Virginia 61 1/2 up 1/2  
General Electric 254 1/2 up 1/2  
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New Haven 62 1/2 up 1/2  
Southern Railway 65 1/2 up 1/2  
Union Pacific 158 1/2 up 1/2  
Sinclair 152 1/2 up 1/2  
Reading 61 1/2 up 1/2

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Foreign exchange closed steady. Sterling \$4 15/16 up 1/16. France 65 3/4 up 1/4. Belgium 35 1/2 up 1/2. Marks 33 1/2 for one gold mark. Sterling 4 15/16 up 1/16. France 65 3/4 up 1/4. Belgium 35 1/2 up 1/2. Marks 33 1/2 for one gold mark.

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JOY MAKERS TO GIVE DANCE NEXT WEEK

A dance at the Department club will be given Friday of next week by the Joy Makers orchestra, members of the musical organization said today. The function is the second of a series sponsored by the orchestra.

5 Operations—15 years suffering with constipation—Kellogg's Bran restores health

Mr. Lansing's case is typical of thousands of others. He found permanent relief from constipation in Kellogg's Bran because it is ALL Bran. Nothing but ALL Bran can be 100 per cent effective. Read what he says:

Dear Sir:

I have been afflicted with constipation for the past 15 years, and during that time I have been in four different hospitals and submitted to five different operations that were the result of constipation. I was getting so bad that every meal I ate caused me a great deal of suffering. Two months ago I was advised to eat your Kellogg's Bran. I tried it, and I was trying everything I could think of. From that day on I have never taken a physic. My stomach does not sour any more and my bowels

DIXIE REVUE ENDED, 'AS 'ANOTHER SUCCESS'

Three performances of the American Legion show, "Dixie Revue of 1924," were brought to a close with applause and enthusiasm from the crowded house which witnessed the last presentation in the Elks theater Wednesday night.

Scores of girls and young men in the city took parts in the revue. The proceeds from the three nights' houses will be used by members of the American Legion for their new club house.

At the close of the Wednesday night show, the Legionnaires were hosts to the cast at a dance at the Elks hotel.

ICE COMPANY GIVES EMPLOYEES PICNIC

Employees of the Consumers Ice and Coal company and their families enjoyed a delightful outing at McHadd's Beach yesterday.

The party was comprised of forty-one persons, who motored to the beach about 1 o'clock. After arriving there the men in the party scined and caught quite a number of fish which were prepared over a huge fire. The fish fry and picnic supper proved an occasion of much delight to both the grown-ups and the children.

NIGHT SCHOOL HERE OPENS OCTOBER 6

Night school for men and women who desire to learn to read and write English, the course and text books free, open in Franklin school on the night of October 6 for the regular term of seven and one-half months. Miss Wayne Young, who has charge of this school for the past five or six years, said today:

The night school sessions will be held two nights each week, from 7 until 9 o'clock, and since the classes were organized several years ago, scores of men and women, in many cases members of families, have enrolled for the work. Miss Young said.

SEEK OUSTER AGAINST THE STANDARD OIL

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 11.—A motion to force an ouster against the Standard Oil Company of Indiana imposed by the state supreme court in 1913 and suspended after a fine had been paid, was filed in the supreme court today by Attorney General J. W. Barrett who has just finished an investigation into gasoline prices in Missouri.

ENDS OWN LIFE

VIENNA, Sept. 11.—Eva May, the film star, daughter of the celebrated actress, died today of a heart ailment. It was the fifth attempt of this 23 year old beauty to end her own life.

Amusements

THURSDAY

Peoples: Jackie Coogan in "A Boy of Flanders."

Strand: Harry Carey in "Tiger Thompson" and "Fun Shop" from The Port Arthur News.

Cameo: Constance Talmadge in "The Dangerous Maid."

Liberty: "Breaking Into Society."

Green Tree: Tom Mix in "The Heart Buster."

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Green Tree: "The Breaking Point."

WHIMSICAL STORY

Wide was the appeal of Jackie Coogan in "Long Live the King," but last night's audience at the Peoples theater, seemed unanimously agreed that Jackie's latest Metro picture, "A Boy of Flanders," will exert an even wider circle of appeal—it is so human, so homely, so full of those touches of tenderness and pathos, that make the whole world kin.

Throughout the story, even in the moments of its mischief and fun—and they are many and reasoning—the characterization given by little Jackie is imbued with a fine spirituality of infinite appeal alike to children and grown-ups; it is chastening, ennobling and truly elevating.

Gone are the formal, braided and militant garments of "Long Live the King"; gone too the aristocratic environment and the patrician scenes of life in the palaces of princes and kings. Instead there is little Nello in the poverty stricken hilly of Jehan Daas, who ekes out a wretched living as a carrier of milk from the small

At Cameo Today



Constance Talmadge, appearing at the Cameo theatre today in "The Dangerous Maid."

farmers of St. Agneten to dealers in Antwerp, a league or two distant.

The picture is replete with scenes of inspiring beauty. Homeless Nello (Jackie) wandering aimless in the face of a blinding snowstorm constitutes one of the most poignant episodes on which the eye of a motion picture camera was ever turned. No one that witnesses the rescue by the dog, Pe trache, of his little master, will ever forget the tear-evoking power of this episode.

"THE CYCLONE RIDER"

"The Cyclone Rider" came to town today.

He roared in with the gas on full and his cut-out wide open.

A committee from the Pearce theatre, where he started his race for

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the "thrill record" at 1 o'clock yesterday, was on hand to meet him. His opening burst of speed was a stunner, they say, and he has promised to keep it up. The race will continue for a more days. It will be history-making.

The Pearce management says that all "thrill records" individual and group, will be broken during the stay here of "The Cyclone Rider."

"THE DANGEROUS MAID"

Constance Talmadge and Conway Tearle, in "The Dangerous Maid," which opened at the Cameo theatre Wednesday to run through Saturday, are seen in some of the best acting of their careers in this film, according to notices on the picture.

A gripping adventure and romance story of the times when the Duke of Monmouth rebelled against King James II of England furnish the background for the players, and Constance Talmadge, as the daring Lady Barbara Winslow, and Conway Tearle, as Captain Miles Prothero, whom Lady Barbara almost loses her life to save from prison where he awaits execution, are supported in "The Dangerous Maid," by a capable cast.

For the opening days of the run of the production it has played to capacity houses at the Cameo, according to the management.

DEBATES SHAKE IN G.O.P. RACE

Coolidge May Change Campaign Speaking Itinerary

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Coolidge today was considering seriously changing the republican campaign tour and making a number of speeches outside Washington during the next month.

Despite Chairman Butler's view

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT

Send your name and address plainly written, together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, "flu" and whooping cough, and tickling throat; CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS for stomach troubles, indigestion, gas, pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; CHAMBERLAIN'S SALVE, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

GOOD NEWS FOR PEOPLE WITH BLEMISHED FACES

No better news could be given people who suffer the embarrassment and disappointments which disfigured faces subject them to than the use of Black and White Ointment, and Soap, are causing a positive decline in such skin diseases as pimples, blotches, eczema, rash, tetter, etc.

Black and White Soap, and Ointment, are already selling at the unprecedented rate of more than two million packages a year, and dealers everywhere are enthusiastically recommending them to their friends and customers. Black and White Ointment, and Soap, are economically priced, in liberal packages. The 50c size Ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size.

Smart Dresses for Fall

Not the highest in price nor the lowest in price—but the utmost value that you can get in a new fall frock for \$29.50. Each one a smart fall style—the very newest. They are developed in silks, twills, flannels, and satins. Colors are black, brown, cinnamon, navy, etc. They are a feature value beginning tomorrow for

\$29.50



Each one a charming model in itself. Every one of them new.

Smart new trimming effects are to be had, and also plain models.

All the new styles are represented.

The best style designs that you can expect to see are included.

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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY REMEMBER THEM THAT ARE IN BONDS, AS BOUND WITH THEM AND THEM WHICH SUFFER ADVERSITY, AS BEING YOURSELVES ALSO IN THE BODY.—HEB. 13:3.

The Editorial Mind

Dr. Frank Crane's Editorials

NATURE

When we speak of nature we don't speak of what we can see, but of something behind that which we see. Nature is in no hurry. It is only making that hurries.

There are many things very beautiful in nature, but many things grotesque, such as the monsters of the sea.

When painters reproduce a little bit of nature they are highly gratified, yet nature paints the most superb pictures constantly, whether there are those to see them or not.

All that lives comes from nature. She seems to be rhythmic as to her lives. She produces plants in their season, and men in their generations, but the race continues.

Very little first class literature has been written under the direct inspiration of nature. Nature is usually too strong for the writers.

It is characteristic of nature that it goes on while life stops. Nature has her ebbs and flows, but it is eternal. It was here before we arrived; it will be here when we have gone.

There is nothing more nor immoral in nature. She has her own morality. There is infinite variety in nature, and yet the strictest adherence to law.

There is abundance, generosity and waste in nature, yet there is no waste. The leaves of the trees return to soil from which they came. Whatever nature produces may fail in its object, but it succeeds in some other object.

Nature produces nothing that is alive and also straight. Her sign manual is the curved line for living things. Among dead things I do not know of anything straight which nature produces except quartz.

Nature is discordant and minor; and yet those who are accustomed to listen to her know that she is deeply musical.

The most beautiful object of nature depends upon water, for it is water that makes the clouds, the colors of the sunset and of the sea.

All other nature, yet is she not masterful or petulant.

Two of the greatest men who ever lived have had for their motto "Return to Nature." One was the Frenchman, Rousseau, and the other was the Chinaman, Lao Tzu.

Lao Tzu said: "The highest goodness is like water, for water is excellent and benefitting all things, yet it does not strive. It occupies the lowest place which men abhor."

We do not understand nature because we do not understand water.

Lao Tzu says again: "There is something chaotic, yet complete, which existed before heaven and earth. It stands alone without change, reaching everywhere without suffering harm. It must be regarded as the mother of the universe. Its name I do not know. Endeavoring to describe it I call it great."

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In New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—One of the clerks at the hotel in which I live is an Englishman, small of stature and unusual active.

Although he has been in the hotel business many years he does everything as though he were an efficient beginner, trying to earn a raise in salary.

He is by far the most accommodating hotel clerk I have found between New York and San Francisco.

Yesterday I learned, after knowing him two years, that he is worth a fortune, made in well-chosen business transactions.

Each year he spends his vacation in Europe, spending much of his time in London, the town of his birth.

He remains in the hotel as clerk because it gives him an opportunity to meet so many people—"some of whom are interesting," he adds.

He could buy and sell the majority of guests to whom he caters.

New York is a peculiar place. In the office building in which I work one can't ride on the passenger elevator unless he has on a collar.

In other words he must be dressed fit to kill before he is tendered transportation.

On a warm afternoon, while sweltering over a typewriter, I ran out of tobacco. I dashed for the elevator—fully dressed except that I had taken off my collar and tucked my neckband in.

"Take the rear elevator," commanded the dumpy "ape" (one who has been getting all his spare change for months, "delivery boys and help ride on the employees lift. You can't ride on this car unless you are fully clad."

Back in Lafayette, Ind., my home town, you could put your bathing suit on in the office and ride on the elevator to and fro, your swimming lesson and nobody appeared distressed.

"Before you make your will," advertised a New York bank in the Fifth Avenue buses, "be sure to consult us."

A few years ago—in the pioneering days of automotive transportation—that sign would have stricken terror in the minds of nervous people, just as it might if it were posted in the cabin of a passenger airplane today.

But the buses are safe.

—STEPHEN HANNAGAN.

LOCATION OF GARMENT FACTORY HERE INDUSTRIAL OPENING WEDGE

Several years ago John Preston, a sheep rancher in South-west Texas, found his pasturage giving out. "What will I do?" he asked. "My sheep have no place to feed. All that is left is a bunch of brush and stuff the sheep won't eat." He solved it by raising goats. Today he is worth several hundred thousand dollars. He saved himself by using his head.

Right here lies the big significance of Port Arthur's successful efforts to secure the garment factory. By this step Port Arthur is placed on the high road to finding itself. We are getting ready to save ourselves by using our heads.

Oil made Port Arthur one of the most sensational eras of city growth enjoyed by Texas cities. We have concluded that oil will continue to make it. We have been wrong and are finding it out. Port Arthur never will be a city of consequence until its people step out and help themselves. No common-wealth can live on past accomplishments. The road lies ahead, not behind.

There is a great deal more to this industrial victory than the mere matter of location of a new industrial plant, or the employment of 125 to 200 or more workers. The aggregate payroll spread over a year will seem a mere pittance to the \$25,000,000 more or less in refinery payrolls paid in Port Arthur. Its working personnel will seem a corporal's squad to the regiments of employees at the two big oil refining plants.

But the great thing about this factory business is the fact that it shows Port Arthur citizens themselves, without whose support Port Arthur civic organizations themselves can do nothing, are coming out of their trance. Instead of bewailing the fact that things do not happen, our minds are lending themselves to the healthy viewpoint that without our individual efforts nothing can happen.

The garment factory is an open wedge. It will bring more employment, create a larger payroll. It will do its bit to make us grow. But it, alone, will not make Port Arthur a city of 100,000 population in ten years or one hundred years.

The high road to Port Arthur's future growth and prosperity, unless we are content to fossilize, must be flanked with signboards narrating the location of added industrial plants. The garment factory is the starter in its field. It gives added variety to the handful of smaller industrials who are growing and will continue to grow with Port Arthur.

When a city lacks facilities to clothe itself, to feed itself, to provide its own necessities and luxuries it faces an economic setback for which there is no solution except through providing for what it lacks.

Port Arthur right now is on the way to clothing itself for its daily work. Wage earners, for instance, who buy work clothing will pay the profit to their own girls and women in the family instead of to others out of town. And they'll get their product cheaper.

The big, helpful thing that looms up as a result of securing the garment factory—and it is brought into the discussion because it is the most recent example—is that it shows Port Arthur as a whole is changing its viewpoint of what constitutes elements for continued success and growth. When all of us, every man and woman and child in Port Arthur, become converted to it nothing can stop us. And we are on the high-way to being converted.

REMARKABLE

Ages and ages ago the Medes and Persians enacted laws that they declared to be unchangeable and irrevocable. Ages and ages ago the Medes and Persians and their laws were consigned to the dust of the tombs. Now the democrats of Texas, in convention assembled in the city of Austin, made this declaration:

"Prohibition is written into the constitution of the United States and into the constitution of the state of Texas and must forever remain as written."

Public opinion voiced by men make the prohibition laws of nation and state. Isn't it possible in the ages to come for the men and women then on earth to unmake the prohibition laws of nation and state. "Must forever remain as written" is a stupendous and high sounding declaration.

These laws are man made and isn't it possible for the power that created them to destroy them (Not now or in the near future) as the laws of the Medes and Persians were destroyed by those who came after their making?

Quillen's Paragraphs

An optimist is one who lists his 1922 car as an asset.

Now that hairpins are obsolete, how does a woman fix her watch?

A free people is one that is offended by a "Keep Out" sign.

Age has compensations. One doesn't mind wearing a shoe large enough.

The country is safe so long as sanity experts give the average man a pain.

No man's pride is hurt by a dun, however, if he has the cash to pay.

The test of prison reform is in reformed prisoners.

The head of the institution is seldom a swelled head.

Even the common hog gets fed up, but he doesn't call it sophistication.

The thing that makes capital punishment ineffectual seems to be acquittals.

And where are the naughty books that afflicted sedate folks yesterday?

A big man is one who is too busy to scold his wife about missing buttons.

Hick: A term of derision applied to country people by those who recently were country people.

American leaders don't rattle the sword. Their effort is to rattle competitors.

Job was lucky at that. He wasn't on the stand where a lawyer could nag at him.

One way to get acquainted with a lot of prominent people is to get on the jury.

The chief fault of our immigration policy seems to be the length of our coast line.

How urgently mankind seems to need reforming when your liver isn't working.

Mere government can't make husbands free. The thumb is mightier than the sword.

Man has so thoroughly conquered the air that he can do anything up there if he has luck and nothing happens.

An "exclusive model" at \$19.50 may mean that all the others are sold elsewhere at \$1.95.

A parrot is a good scout. He repeats what he hears, but he doesn't invent slanderous details.

Oh, well; European nations will snap into it when they quit snapping at one another.

A Paris divorce isn't better, except that one gets photographed on the liner coming back.

Correct this sentence: "Style or no style," she declared, "I won't wear a winter hat until winter comes."



THE FUN SHOP By MAXSON FOXALL JUDELL

THAT SCHOOLGIRL COMPLEXION By Margaret McBride Hess I'd love to find the surest bird.

Painting festive billboards With gay scarlet, blue and brown. I want to gum his brush with glue. But he avoids detection. And meanly keeps on bounding me. 'Bout that school girl complexion. His admonitions irk me. And the reason is quite simple, My school girl epidermis Always did include a pimple!

An Impossible Answer Batch: "Whose baby are you?" Infant (in carriage): See here, young man, you said the very same thing to my nurse a minute ago!" —Agnes Stewart.

New Hero Madge: "Dolly once thought of eloping with the family chauffeur." Marjorie: "But this affair is serious. She talks of marrying the young French barber!" —Harold Wall.

Many a girl's dreams go up in smoke. Healthy Symptom Mother: "Has your young man shown any signs of proposing yet?" Daughter: "Oh, yes. Only last night he asked me, if I knew exactly how much father was worth." —Mrs. Rufus Wenzel.

Intensive Alice: "Your husband plays golf, doesn't he?" Virginia: "No, he works at it." —R. W. J.

Papa/Pank I love you darling, Floreie. You're the apple of my eye. Now don't you get too saucy 'ut be as good as pie." —Margaret Loti.

Traprock's Hot Weather Experience "The hot weather during the recent August weeks reminds me of an interesting battle I had with the thermometer way back in '88," said the tanned old explorer.

"I was in Rangoon, India, in the service of the British government. With a detail of one hundred men I was in command of the government buildings. All the other officials with their families had gone up to the mountains. A hot wave struck us that was like the blast from a furnace.

"The water in the port steamed and some of the low hill, about us shrunk visibly under the terrific rays. Every manjack of my command deserted but one, Mahalabad, my faithful Indian servant. At the end of ten days we were both almost dead, but I refused to desert my post.

"I had a large collection of turbans, official and otherwise. The faithful chap brought them all out, wet them in our scanty water supply, swung them in the air to cool them, and proceeded to wrap me from head to foot in what was nothing but a large turban. He wrapped in with me several leaves of bread and a quantity of dried figs. Then he hung me up in the coolest corner of the house like a gigantic cocoon. I hung there exactly two weeks, feeling, curiously, scarcely any desire to eat. I must have slept most of the time, and my experience convinces me that man, if he desired, could easily learn to hibernate in this way, as does the bear.

"When the weather finally broke and some of the men ventured back and cut me down, I was touched to find that the last turban Mahalabad had wrapped about me had been his own. A note explained that he had taken refuge in our elstern, but the water in this had evaporated and my poor friend along with it.

"At the Durbar the following year, King Edward personally handed me

the Order of the Pink Parasol, an honor usually reserved for native princes and Nabobs of the blood royal."

Successful Sher: "I only married you out of sympathy." He: "Well, I get plenty of it!" —Philip Greenblatt.

Tell-Tale Marks Crawford: "Are you ahead on the poker game you held in the house while your wife was away in the country?" Crabshaw: "Yes, but not enough to pay for having the Oriental rug repaired and a new finish put on the library table." —Richard Huber.

We Know Quite a Few Like This Mary: "They say Jack has proposed to a great many girls." Grace: "Yes, everything but matrimony!" —William Sanford.

Cut Glass: A five-dollar water pitcher marked down to \$3.98. These Women! Mrs. Gayboy: "Do you like animal stories?" Mrs. Frolic: "I certainly do!" Mrs. Gayboy: "Then listen, and I'll tell you a funny one about my husband."

Let Us Have Faith— Little Mae came home from school one day crying as if her heart were breaking. "What's the trouble, dear?" asked her mother. "For our language lesson tomorrow teacher told us to write the Christian names of our father and mother and what am I to do? I'm ashamed to tell in class you and dandy don't belong to a church."

—Ernest Best, Jr.

The NERVOUS WRECK by E.J. Rath ©1924 - by NEA Service Inc.

BEGIN HERE TODAY The "Nervous Wreck," an eccentric young easterner, is driving Sally Morgan from her father's ranch to the station when they run out of gasoline. At the point of a gun the Wreck takes five gallons from a passing car.

Later Charlie McSween, foreman of a ranch along the route, makes them captives because he wants Sally for a cook. It develops that Mr. Underwood, the owner of the ranch, was in the car which they held up. Sheriff Bob Wells, Sally's fiancé, is unwittingly searching the countryside for the "bandits" who held up Underwood. Sally and the Wreck finally escape from the ranch run onto a camp of real bandits are captured a second time, and then escape again. Fleeing on foot from the bandits, they discover a riderless, bridled horse in the woods.

"Look—look what you're riding!" "Huh!" he squinted down through his spectacles at the top of the animal's head, as though expecting to discover, perhaps, that it was an elephant or a camel, rather than a regulation Montana mount.

"It's Bob Wells' horse?" said Sally, in a voice of awe. And indeed it was, as the Wreck could now see, with a fair amount of early morning light coming over the hills. It was the big black animal that even he, to whom most horses looked alike, had come to associate with the sheriff.

"I'll be dogged," he muttered. Sally sat rigid in her saddle, as though the sight had petrified her. It was Bob's horse, Bob's saddle, Bob's bridle—the whole outfit was there. No wonder she had been able to soothe the frightened animal, back in the darkness. It knew her. Well, she'd stolen the sheriff's horse!" she gasped.

"Found 'em," corrected the Wreck. "Oh, Henry!" "Well, what of it?" "But—what in the world does it mean? I'm all mixed up."

The Wreck did not have any very clear idea of what "mean," but the discovery was rather pleasant to him. Unconsciously, he assumed a more jaunty pose in the saddle.

"One horse is the same as another to me," he remarked. "You thought they were good enough when we found 'em in the woods. What's the matter with 'em now?" "But Bob—his horse—and—why, he must have been right close to us."

"Well, he didn't find us, did he?" remarked the Wreck, triumphantly. He even risked his seat by leaning forward and stroking the neck of the black horse.

Sally glanced at her own mount. She could not remember ever having seen the animal before. It was a medium-sized bay, rather easily goaded, but evidently not built for speed.

"We must have all been pretty close together in the woods," mused Sally. "Think of that. Of course, Bob didn't know about us; he couldn't have. But he must have been pretty hot on the trail of that gang. I suppose that's what Nosey was worried about last night when he and Lefty went down to watch the main road. What I don't understand is Bob losing his horse. He must have been doing some scouting on foot and didn't figure on any storm messing things up. This one I'm riding, of course, must belong to somebody in the posse."

The Wreck grinned down at his mount. In some measure the black horse compensated for the loss of the liver.

"I'll bet Bob's just crazy," said Sally. "Sure."

"Why, if anything happened to that horse—when? He'd sooner let the whole gang get away than lose his horse."

"Well, he can have it back when I'm through with it," said the Wreck with an airy tone. "I'll exchange it for a flivver any time."

"And the humiliation of it," continued Sally, talking haughtily to herself. "Think of a sheriff going out to catch somebodies and having somebody else run off with his horse. Can't you see it, Henry?"

"I can see it fine." And there he is, back in the woods there somewhere, with nothing to ride, and probably the gang laughing at him.

"Well, it's a good laugh," agreed the Wreck. "What's awful?" "It's that!" he looked at her sharply. "What's the idea? Do you want to go back and hand him his plug and sack. Here we are. Take us to the housework!"

Sally shook her head impatiently. "Of course not. We can't. But I'm just trying to make you understand what a frightful fix it is for a sheriff to be in. Oh, he must be simply wild! Just imagine yourself in his shoes!"

(Continued in Our Next Issue)

RENEW MORGAN LOAN TO HALT FRANC FALL

PARIS, Sept. 11.—A six months' loan of \$100,000,000 made by J. P. Morgan to the Bank of France on March 10, to halt the fall of the franc, has been renewed on the same conditions and with the same guarantees, in order to combat possible future attacks on the exchange, the United Press learned from an authoritative source today.

WILL PAY \$2 PER CAPITA APPOINTMENT

AUSTIN, Sept. 11.—The state department of education will make a payment of \$2 per capita on the state apportionment for the public schools during the month of September. The apportionment is \$14 per capita for the first time in history of the state a substantial payment will be made during the first month of the school year.

Tom Sims Says

It may be more blessed to give than to receive, but paying isn't half as nice as collecting.

Eat, drink, and be married, for tomorrow winter may come.

To the pure all things are pure, and to the crazy all things are crazy.

The rain falls on the just and the unjust, especially on the just shined shoes.

Good cooking isn't as much an art as finding something good to cook.

The female of the species stands between people and the light more often than the male.

Saddest words of tongue or pen: "We'll get some coal for our coal bin."

We don't know about business, but all the cheap cigars will be smoked up after the presidential election.

The light that lies in a woman's eyes is the light that fools a lot of wise guys.

Boys will be boys, for a while longer, and then indications are they will be girls and girls will be boys.



# THE NEWS' SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD PAGE

## Huge and Elaborate Are The Cuffs That Trim All The New Autumn Clothes

FALL brings such attractive things in the way of handsome coats and becoming frocks, the striking characteristics of them this season being the elaborate cuffs. Frocks this year are either very long-sleeved or entirely sleeveless, the long sleeved ones seeming to be gaining in popularity as the cooler days begin to arrive.

A beautiful coat seen recently in a smart shop downtown was of black cloth, with a lustrous silk finish, and lavishly trimmed in fox. A deep fold of beige suede cloth faced the coat, which was made in wrapper style.

A smart autumn frock being shown downtown is of navy chamois, trimmed in hand-painted suede, in gay reds, yellow and blue, and the pipings are of royal blue. One long scarf comes over the shoulder. Stunning long fringe falls at one side from a fancy buckle.

A handsome frock of black tulle made over gay plaid taffeta and trimmed in plaid is one of the latest models to arrive in Port Arthur shops. Very new are the ornamental cuffs on its long sleeves, the plaid buttons and the double collar of plaid and plain red silk. Plaid taffeta peeps through alluringly at the sides and from beneath the bodice.

A cape coat which will attract attention is of brown Jamuna, trimmed with Jap mink. Like most of the new coats it wraps over. Another charming frock is of navy whipcord, with collars, cuffs, and motif of henna duvetyne, and fancy buttons of blue and cut steel. The huge cuffs are characteristic of the vogue for elaboration in cuffs.

## Swimming Party Given for Miss Birdie Latham

Miss Birdie Latham, who leaves today for New York after a pleasant visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Latham, was honored with a most delightful swimming party Tuesday evening by a jolly crowd of her intimate friends and former schoolmates.

After a refreshing dip in the waters of Lake Sabine at Gates Beach, the honor guest and her friends motored to the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bailey Terry's home, 2947 Thomas boulevard, where a most delectable supper was served, picnic style on the wide lawn. The lawn was prettily decorated with Japanese lanterns and a victrola on the large porch furnished delightful music during the evening.

Those enjoying the gracious compliment in addition to Miss Latham were Misses Laurella Burnham and Frances Isakson; Messrs. Oliver Latham, Tom Hoffmann, and John Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Marian Harle; Mrs. L. B. Abbey; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Abbey and daughter, May Elizabeth; Mr. and Mrs. John Beshara and son, John; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Follette; Mr. and Mrs. Newman Wheeler; Mr. and Mrs. Nease; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beard and Charles Slater; Mrs. Joe Gorin; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Graham and son, Bobby; and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Gendrell.

## Mrs. Witherup Entertains At Pretty Bridge

A gracious hospitality of the week's calendar of events was the lovely bridge yesterday afternoon which had as hostess, Mrs. Joseph Witherup at her home, 537 Lake Charles avenue. A profusion of colorful xenia gave gay bits of color to the decorative scheme, their bright hues showing with pretty effect in cluster arrangements at vantage points about the rooms.

Two tables of players were assembled for the afternoon's diversion of bridge, and in the games Mrs. Russell Dunn was awarded the trophy for success. Punch and cake were served as a refreshment course at the close of the games.

The personnel of the charmingly informal bridge were Miss Ethel King, Miss Follina Vaylske, Miss Stella Witherup, Mrs. Russell Dunn, Mrs. Jerry Camak, Miss Marie Lemaster, Mrs. Harry Ahysen and the hostess, Mrs. Joseph Witherup.

## CIRCLE ONE ENTERTAINED

Circle One of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Central Baptist church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. L. Schley, 806 Liberty avenue.

The devotional service, taken from "Royal Service" was led by Mrs. Schley and following the business session, the Bible lesson was taken and conducted by the chairman, Mrs. E. E. Lindemeyer, the theme being "The Old Testament." The lesson and discussion which followed was enjoyed very much.

Those present in addition to the hostess, Mrs. G. L. Schley, were Mrs. C. L. Haynes, Mrs. I. F. Daniels, Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. T. C. Lindemeyer, Mrs. Wyatt McFadden and Mrs. L. E. Gibson.

MR. AND MRS. EARNEST ARRIVES IN CITY  
Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Earnest of Lockport, Ill., accompanied by Mrs. Earnest's brother, T. J. Correll of Chicago, Ill., are visiting at the home of Mr. Earnest's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Earnest, 1724 Eighth street.

The trip from Illinois was made via automobile and Mr. Earnest reports the roads in good condition. Mr. Earnest is in the employ of the Texas company and was transferred to Lockport from Port Arthur two years ago.

## Social Calendar THURSDAY

Ladies Aid of Presbyterian church to meet in called session at annex, 5 o'clock.

Winters Club with Mrs. C. M. Newberry as hostess at Mrs. N. Harper's home, 643 Charleston avenue, 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. S. E. Fox, Mrs. George Collins and Mrs. H. K. Goodwin hostess at Home Missionary Society of First Methodist Episcopal church at the church, 2:30 o'clock.

Elucidia to meet at First M. E. church, South, 2:30 o'clock.

Walton Camp Fire girls to hold ceremony at Knights of Columbus hall, 2:30 o'clock.

Jus Tus Club with Miss Theima Campbell, 7:30 o'clock.

Woodmen Circle to meet at hall in Harford building, 7:30 o'clock.

Missionary Circle of First M. E. church, South, to meet as follows: Group One with Mrs. J. Wyatt, 844 Twelfth; Group Two with Mrs. S. D. Wall, 1501 Eighth; Group Three with Mrs. E. L. Canada, 1903 Fifth.

Group Four with Mrs. P. T. Williams, 2108 Sixth; Group Five with Mrs. Klaus Earhart, 311 San Antonio; Group Six with Mrs. C. H. Gunthorpe, 2633 Sixth; Group Seven with Mrs. R. E. Mossman, 2112 South; and Group Eight with Mrs. H. F. Baker, 1109 Fifth.

Circle Nine of Woman's Auxiliary of First Baptist church with Mrs. E. K. Furrow, 2225 Procter street, 2:30 o'clock.

Royal Neighbors to entertain with swim. Meet at Gates Beach, 5 o'clock.

Chimes Six and Eight of the First Baptist Auxiliary with Mrs. F. Kay, 2121 Thirteenth street, 5 o'clock.

Intermediate Department of First Christian church to entertain with social at the church, 7:30 o'clock.

Circle One of First Baptist Auxiliary with Mrs. J. W. Crouch, 533 Beaumont avenue, 2:30 o'clock.

Altar Society Group Two with Mrs. W. C. McGarry, Mrs. P. M. Bernhart as hostesses, 2:30 o'clock.

Ladies Aid of Trinity Lutheran church with Mrs. Carl Schreier and Mrs. F. W. Stahel as hostesses.

Circle Five of First Baptist Auxiliary with Mrs. J. C. Muller, 2024 Ninth street, 2:30 o'clock.

Ladies Aid of Congregational church with Mrs. M. E. Friel, 1301 Ninth street, 2:30 o'clock.

## FRIDAY

Prothorn Class of the First Baptist church will entertain at the Gulf Club, 5 o'clock.

Rehearsal to meet at Odd Fellows hall, 8 o'clock.

Royal Neighbors to meet at hall in Harford building, 7:30 o'clock.

Forward dance for departing students at Department Club, Music by Harley's Happy Harmonists of Houston, 8:30 to 12:30 o'clock.

Junior Christian Endeavor Society at First Christian church to be entertained at Mrs. J. R. Jolley's home, 1346 Stilwell boulevard, 2:30 o'clock.

All Juniors having no way of getting to Mrs. Jolley's home are requested to meet at the church promptly at 2:30 o'clock and automobiles will be provided to take them to the Jolley home.

## JUNIOR C. E.'S TO ENTERTAIN

The Junior Christian Endeavors of the First Christian church will be entertained with an enjoyable party tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. R. Jolley, 1346 Stilwell boulevard.

All Juniors having no way of getting to Mrs. Jolley's home are requested to meet at the church promptly at 2:30 o'clock and automobiles will be provided to take them to the Jolley home.

Those enjoying the gracious compliment in addition to Miss Latham were Misses Laurella Burnham and Frances Isakson; Messrs. Oliver Latham, Tom Hoffmann, and John Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Marian Harle; Mrs. L. B. Abbey; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Abbey and daughter, May Elizabeth; Mr. and Mrs. John Beshara and son, John; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Follette; Mr. and Mrs. Newman Wheeler; Mr. and Mrs. Nease; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beard and Charles Slater; Mrs. Joe Gorin; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Graham and son, Bobby; and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Gendrell.

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## Intermediate C. E. Society Entertained

The Intermediate Endeavors of the First Christian church enjoyed a pleasant party Tuesday evening at the church, with a surprise coming during the latter part of the evening when they found that the party was given in honor of the birthday of their superintendent, Mrs. I. E. Martin.

The young people assembled in the Endeavor rooms on the second floor of the church upon their arrival Tuesday evening. After all were assembled they were requested to go to the cafeteria, which they found to be attractively decorated in pink and green with pretty blossoms clustered about the large room and the tables adorned with pink and white decorations.

On one prettily decorated table was a large birthday cake holding gleaming pink candles, which was prepared as a surprise for the Endeavorers and Mrs. Martin. After a delightful evening of games and delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Enjoying the occasion were Misses Louise Allen, Nellie Cox, Thelma Dobbins, Mary Meyers, Lera Mae McKinney, Aurelia Pattison, Gracie Rhodes, Marie Brown, Winona Smith, Ruth Swan, Ora Lee Wagner, Emily Welch, and Maude Youngblood; Messrs. Irwin Davis, Roy Frederickson, Marian Hayes, Miller Jolley, John McDonnell, Willard Youngblood, Ivy Montgomery, Claude Rhodes, James Swan, Dudley Vought, Calvert Welch, R. Winfree and Rev. R. R. Yelderman.

## CAMP FIRE GIRLS ENTERTAIN CHILDREN

Katherine Ward, Carol Lefkowitz, Dorothy Halton and Winnie Billeaud, members of the Minnehaha Camp Fire, entertained the children of the Day Nursery Tuesday afternoon at the Nursery home on Mobile avenue.

All of the girls of the Minnehaha Camp were scheduled to entertain the children at the Lions Park on this occasion but on account of the rehearsal for the 11th Engineers' show they were unable to attend the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Inman Wheeler sent a freezer of ice cream to the children on Tuesday afternoon and the Camp Fire girls, after an enjoyable afternoon of outdoor games, served the ice cream to the children.

## CAMP FIRE HOLDS SUNRISE BREAKFAST

Misses Florence Bannert and Rosemary Stehl entertained the Walobi Camp Fire girls with a pleasing sunrise breakfast Wednesday morning on the lawn of the former's home, 2019 Procter street.

A delectable breakfast was cooked over the camp fire and served on the wide lawn. Games were enjoyed following the breakfast.

Participating in the enjoyable affair were Misses Isabelle Billeaud, Leona Rogers, Lucille Breaux, Effie Mosler, Clara Rogers, Eugenia Jacobow, Florence Bannert, Rosemary Stehl and Miss Broussard of Lafayette, La. Mrs. George Stehl, Mrs. L. P. Dasht and Mrs. John Bannert.

## MRS. E. W. MATTHEWS HOME FROM VISIT

Mrs. E. W. Matthews and children, William, Lora, Edna and Lydia of 130 Gilham circle have returned after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in Lafayette, La. The trip was made via automobile.

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"Before taking Tanlac I was so nervous and run-down that I couldn't hold down a job to earn a livelihood. I could neither eat or sleep to

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## BIG DEFENSE DAY

## DANCE

## PLEASURE PIER

Friday Night, Sept. 12th

## WOMAN'S AUXILIARY HAS ALL DAY MEET

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Memorial Baptist church met at the tabernacle yesterday in all day session and during the morning hours the members assisted in the interior decoration of the tabernacle.

At noon a delicious luncheon was served, and the members were entertained with a charming vocal selection by Mrs. J. G. Philen. Mrs. V. S. Sibley read the minutes of the last session and the afternoon meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. J. A. Elias and devotional service by Mrs. Philen, who also conducted the afternoon's lesson study.

Members in attendance were Mrs. A. L. Stewart, Mrs. J. J. Duggan, Mrs. J. G. Philen, Mrs. V. S. Sibley, Mrs. S. M. Rollins, Mrs. W. Storms, Mrs. Cal Cope, Mrs. N. Collette, Mrs. C. W. Chamberlain, Mrs. J. A. Elias, Mrs. C. Stephens, Mrs. W. Arthur, Mrs. W. H. Weaver and Mrs. Thos. Gillette.

Next week the Auxiliary will meet again in all day session at the tabernacle at which time all members are urged to be in attendance in order that the interior of the church may be completed.

## Circle Two Has Election Of Officers

Election of officers featured the session of Circle Two of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Central Baptist church Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Tom Wells, 2847 Eighth street.

Mrs. L. L. Thorn was elected chairman of Circle Two and other officers include Mrs. I. W. Townsend, assistant chairman; Mrs. H. S. Hyde, secretary; Mrs. Webb Laird, personal service chairman; and Mrs. Fred Lorena, Bible study teacher.

The afternoon's session was opened with the devotional service by Mrs. I. W. Townsend and the singing of the Auxiliary hymn, "O Zion Haste."

At the close of the business session the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Lora Wells, served a delicious refreshment course.

Those enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. I. W. Townsend, Mrs. B. H. Wiley, Mrs. H. S. Hyde, Mrs. Fred Lorena, Mrs. R. T. Youngblood, Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. Tom Wells and Miss Lora Wells.

On next Tuesday Circle Two will meet at the home of Mrs. R. T. Youngblood, 2707 Seventh street, at 2:30 o'clock.

## NITE SERENADERS HAVE MEETING

The nine Serenaders met Tuesday evening in regular session at the home of Francis Gentil, 1340 Ninth street, in short business session during which time several matters were discussed.

Preceding the business session an in-formation service was held and Ulice Dorem was accepted into the membership of the club.

The next meeting of the Night Serenaders will be held at the home of the president, Whitney Hartman, 1325 Seventh street, at 7:30 o'clock. The president urges a full attendance of all the members.

## MR. AND MRS. RUFFNER HOME FROM COLORADO

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Ruffner and children of the Model Apartment have returned after a most enjoyable overland trip to various points in Colorado.

## Rainbow Girls, DeMolays Will Be Entertained

An enjoyable affair of the week will be the entertainment on Saturday evening when the Eastern Star will entertain the Girls of the Rainbow Division and the DeMolays at the Gulf Club.

Moody's orchestra will furnish delightful music throughout the evening, and a pleasing program of entertainment is being arranged for the occasion. Mrs. Oscar Spence is chairman of the committee on entertainment, in charge of Mrs. F. A. Pond and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mrs. P. T. Donaboe is chairman of the transportation committee and any of the young people having no means of transportation to the Gulf Club are requested to telephone Mrs. Donaboe at phone 1026 and conveyance will be provided.

All members of the Rainbow Division and the DeMolay order are cordially invited to attend the affair.

## Dance At Department Club Friday

An unusually delightful affair of the week will be the dance tomorrow evening at the Department Club in entertainment of the college students who leave soon for various colleges and universities in Texas and the east.

The dance promises to be one of the largest and most enjoyable affairs of the early autumn season, for invitations have been issued to practically all members of the younger set and all college students anticipating an early departure and their friends.

Harley's Happy Harmonists of Houston will play for the dance, the hours of which are scheduled as 8:30 to 12:30 o'clock.

Department Club members will chaperon the dance.

## MR. AND MRS. DOWELL RETURN TO TULSA

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dowell and daughter Evelyn, have returned to Tulsa, Okla., after a pleasant visit with Mrs. M. E. Dowell of 1919 Procter street and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Dowell and Evelyn have been spending several weeks in the city and while here they were tendered a number of charming hospitalities. They were joined three weeks ago by Mr. Dowell, who accompanied them home.



## LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO RUTH BURKE, CONTINUED

With a queer look at me, Ruth, my husband sprang toward the door. "Here, old man, here's your 'mover.' Let her see what a big boy you are. Big boys don't cry. Go over there and tell her how much you love her and how you're going to take care of her when you grow up and love her better than even your father does."

Little Jack looked from his father to me, and with that uncanny insight that children have he sensed something was wrong. But when he crawled up to my side on the bed, he put his tear-wet face down close to mine, and with his tiny hands pulsating throat, he said:

"Zackie going to 'tay here with you always. Daddy can go home, Zackie 'tay here."

I brought him to me with such a close caress I must have hurt him, but there was never a quiver of the brave little mouth as he muttered: "I love you best of all."

Ruth, at that moment there was born in me a love that I am sure no child of my own can in any way erase. I felt as though he had chosen me of his own accord, and that with all his little soul he loved me.

"Here, here, what about me?" asked his father teasingly. The boy looked at him uncertainly, then held up his face for his father's kiss.

"Yes," I whispered as my arm stole around him, "and a little child shall lead them."

But alas, how fallible are mortal plans. The telephone tinkled at that moment beside the bed. Jack answered it. I saw his face grow gray and stern, and you would not think that a man's voice could change as did his.

"Mrs. Prescott is quite ill. She cannot come to the phone."

"But, Jack," I said, "it's right here by my bed. I can answer it."

"I want every Asthma sufferer in this city to try my treatment entirely at my risk," Dr. Schiffmann announces. "Go to your druggist and get a package of my Asthmador, and should it fail to give instant relief, the druggist will cheerfully refund your money without any question whatever." The Doctor says further: "No matter how violent the attack, how obstinate the case, or what else has failed, my Asthmador or Asthmador Cigarettes will give instant relief, usually in 10 seconds, but always within 15 minutes. Hundreds of unsolicited testimonials abundantly prove what my remedy has done, and I know it will do the same for others. I am so positively certain that it will produce instant relief and will be the best remedy ever used that I have no fears of authorizing these druggists to give this guarantee, or of their being called upon for the refunding of money." No risk whatever is run in buying this remedy under this positive guarantee. Also sent on same guarantee, per parcel post, C. O. D., or on receipt of price, 65c, if not kept by your Druggist, by addressing R. Schiffmann Co., 1734 N. Main, Los Angeles, Calif.

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# \$300,000 Gate to Greet Firpo, Wills Tonight

## Prince to See From Ringside Cook to Pitch Against Pete Karnaky in Second Game of "Serious"

### PRINCE TO SEE FROM RINGSIDE

Rickard Wins Again On Weather Gamble

By HENRY L. FARRELL  
JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 11.—Luis Angel Firpo, the heavyweight champion of South America, and Harry Wills, leading American contender for the world's championship, meet here tonight in a 12-round bout no-decision contest that will decide the next opponent for Jack Dempsey.

With all the preliminaries arranged and with the fairest weather prevailing, the contest was waiting only for the arrival of the starting time.

Tex Rickard's business representatives said that more than \$300,000 worth of reserved seats had been sold and they felt sure that the receipts would reach \$800,000.

**Rickard in Luck Again**  
Rickard's weather luck again prevailed when the morning broke clear and cool and brought about a brisk increase in the sale of tickets when a weather gamble seemed out of the question.

Looking over the names of the box holders, it seemed certain that a crowd almost as colorful as that which witnessed the Dempsey-Carpentier fight in the same arena would watch the two big heavyweights battle for a small fortune and the audience to make a bigger one. Rickard said that Wills will draw \$150,000 as his end and that Firpo had been promised \$100,000 with a cut of the receipts that would make his share a much larger sum. It was generally believed that the South American had been assured that he would get not less than \$100,000. Forty per cent of the receipts go to Rickard.

Although there seemed to be some doubt that he would attend, Rickard said that he had made all arrangements to receive the Prince of Wales and his party and give them full protection at the ringside. Mayor Hague has selected a special bodyguard consisting of the pick of the Jersey City department to watch over the royal party.

Rickard said that he had sent 100 choice seats to the United States Polo association to take care of the prince and their honored guests.

The arena will be opened at 4 p. m. and the first of the preliminary bouts probably will start about 8:15. Rickard said the main bout would go on not later than 10 o'clock and that it might be started as early as 9:30.

**Firpo 6-5 Favorite**  
Danny Sullivan, one of the most experienced referees in the east, will be in charge of the main bout.

Firpo was a six to five favorite in the betting but the odds may change before the fighters go into the ring. Expert opinion has never been so divided on a big bout, the sentiment here being about evenly divided.

Both men are in splendid condition and ready to go. Firpo ought to win by a knockout but it may take him some time as he has never been a quick finisher.

The preliminaries arranged are: Charles McKenna vs. Mike Ferra; Joe Silvania vs. Earl Johnston; Bill Tate vs. John Casanova; Joe Stessel vs. Jim Maloney and Mike Burke vs. Charley Nashert.

### Sport Card

#### HOW THEY STAND

Texas League				
Club	W.	L.	Pct.	
Fort Worth	27	17	.612	
Beaumont	22	22	.500	
San Antonio	23	21	.520	
Wichita Falls	23	21	.520	
Dallas	23	21	.520	
Houston	21	23	.478	
Shreveport	21	23	.478	
Galveston	18	26	.408	
American League				
Club	W.	L.	Pct.	
Washington	137	89	.604	
New York	126	78	.617	
St. Louis	125	79	.612	
Pittsburgh	125	79	.612	
St. Paul	125	79	.612	
Philadelphia	125	79	.612	
Boston	125	79	.612	
Chicago	125	79	.612	
National League				
Club	W.	L.	Pct.	
New York	133	84	.612	
Pittsburgh	125	79	.612	
Cincinnati	125	79	.612	
St. Louis	125	79	.612	
Philadelphia	125	79	.612	
Boston	125	79	.612	
Chicago	125	79	.612	
Southern Association				
Club	W.	L.	Pct.	
Memphis	145	99	.593	
Atlanta	145	99	.593	
New Orleans	145	99	.593	
Nashville	145	99	.593	
Chattanooga	145	99	.593	
Birmingham	145	99	.593	
Little Rock	145	99	.593	

#### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Texas League	
Beaumont 10, Wichita Falls 10.	
Fort Worth 11, San Antonio 4-2.	
National League	
Pittsburgh 3, St. Louis 1.	
Cincinnati 6, Chicago 2.	
Boston 1-0, New York 2-3.	
Philadelphia 1, Brooklyn 2.	
American League	
Chicago 12, Detroit 2.	
Washington 1-0, Philadelphia 2-5.	
No others played.	
Southern Association	
Chattanooga 2, Atlanta 4.	
Memphis 6, Birmingham 4.	
New Orleans 6, Mobile 7.	
Nashville 5, Little Rock 6.	

#### WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Texas League	
Wichita Falls at Beaumont.	
Fort Worth at San Antonio.	
Dallas at Galveston.	
Shreveport at Houston.	
American League	
Cleveland at St. Louis.	
Chicago at Detroit.	
Washington at Philadelphia.	
New York at Boston (2).	
National League	
Open date.	
Southern Association	
Chattanooga at Atlanta.	
Memphis at Birmingham.	
Nashville at Little Rock.	
New Orleans at Mobile.	

### Tonight's Knockout Punch, Seen by Artist in Advance



## Firpo Ought to Win in One Round, Says McAuliffe

### WILLS LIKES TO CLINCH, STALL

#### Negro Better "Mechanic" Than Dempsey

BY JACK MAULIFFE  
Retired Undeclared Lightweight Champion

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Firpo ought to win tonight's fight in Jersey City in one round if Wills dares to come to him. Otherwise the fight will go long enough for Firpo to catch him and that shouldn't be very long.

Wills is a thorough boxer. He knows what to do and how to do everything almost perfectly. He is a more finished mechanic than Jack Dempsey.

Wills knows what to do but an experienced fighter watching him can see him start the motions but hesitate just long enough to lose the opening.

"Firpo Not a Fighter"  
Firpo is not a fighter in any way. He's just a powerful puncher with a stout heart and a great fighting temperament. Firpo will not be bothered with thinking about what is the right thing to do. He only knows how to swing and he does it all the time.

Wills likes to stall around and clinch. No fighter can stall with Firpo or clinch with him without running the risk of having his back broken or being thrown out of the ring.

Wills isn't going to miss all of them that are thrown at him and every time he stops one he's going to have all the fight taken right out of him.

### Giants Win Pair And Lead Robins One Game

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—With two victories over the Braves and the Robins were winning a single encounter with the Phils, the New York Giants increased their lead to one full game over the Brooklyn Robins. The Giants now hold a nine point lead over the Robins, who are 15 points in front of the Pirates.

Although the Yankees were idle while the Senators divided a double bill with the Athletics, Washington still holds the lead in the American League by a game and a half. The Tigers fell down again and are now 3 1/2 games behind their rivals.

The Giants went through the motions of a track meet in beating the Braves, 22 to 1, and 8 to 0, and increasing their lead over the Robins to one full game.

After winning seven straight games the Tigers were stopped by the White Sox and lost 12 to 8.

Rube Adams, 41 year old veteran, made his first start of the season and held the Cardinals to five hits, the Pirates winning 3 to 1.

Six runs scored in a first inning rally enabled the Reds to beat the Cubs 6 to 3.

After the Athletics had won the first game 2 to 1, Marberry saved the Senators in the second game when he relieved Mogridge in the ninth inning with the winning runs on base and retired the side, Washington winning 6 to 5.

The Chi Li forces were expected to launch a new and general offensive tomorrow, weather permitting.

**Huang Tu Attacked**  
General Chi Hsieh Yuan, anxious to come to blows with Lu's army and crush it, if possible, in order to be able to spare men to reinforce Wu Pei Fu in the defense of Peking against Chang Tso Lin, kept up an attack at Huang Tu all day Wednesday without much gain.

The Kiang Su troops were cheered by reports that the Christian General Feng Yuh Siang was sending 10,000 troops from Peking to join the battle against Lu Yung Hsiang. Feng's men are the best fighters in China.

**INTERNATIONAL TROOPS GET REINFORCEMENTS**  
SHANGHAI, Sept. 11.—The international troops have been reinforced by local volunteers and are equipped with six armored cars and many machine guns.

A proclamation of martial law warns the belligerents not to enter the foreign section.

**FLANNEL COATS**  
White flannel coats on very tailored lines, belted with wide red leather belts, are very much liked by flappers.

### SPUDDERS WHIP EXPORTERS, 1-4

Drake as Teammates Hit Roy Moore Hard

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 11.—Drake came back for Wichita Falls yesterday and stopped Beaumont, 10 to 4. Roy Moore was hit hard. Golvin and Fitzgerald of the Spuds hit homers.

Wichita Falls—A B R H P O A E  
Fitzgerald, cf.....5 1 1 1 0 0  
Callaghan, rf.....5 1 1 1 0 0  
Locker, 2b.....5 1 1 1 0 0  
Turgeon, 2b.....5 2 2 3 0 0  
Golvin, 1b.....5 1 3 1 1 0  
Huber, 3b.....5 0 1 0 0 0  
Metzler, if.....5 1 2 0 0 0  
Jonard, c.....4 1 2 4 0 0  
Drake, p.....3 2 1 2 0 0

Totals.....40 10 14 27 13 2  
Beaumont—A B R H P O A E  
Rabbit, cf.....5 1 1 1 0 0  
Lothas, ss.....5 0 1 2 5 1  
Osterberg, rf.....5 1 0 1 0 0  
Summers, 2b.....5 1 0 0 0 0  
Kearns, 1b.....5 0 0 13 2 0  
Taylor, if.....5 0 0 2 0 0  
Huber, 3b.....5 0 0 0 0 0  
Behrens, 2b.....5 1 2 4 0 0  
Moore, p.....5 0 0 1 1 0  
Eberhard, p.....5 0 0 1 0 0  
X-Bernsen.....5 0 0 1 0 0  
X-Jacobus.....5 0 0 0 0 0

Totals.....34 4 7 27 15 2  
X—Batted for Eberhard in 9th.  
XX—Ran for Bernsen in 9th.

Score by innings—  
Wichita Falls.....202 204 000—10  
Beaumont.....101 010 000—4

Summary—Two-base hits, Golvin, Callaghan, Drake, Jonard, Huber. Three-base hits, Metzler, Rabbit. Home runs, Golvin, Fitzgerald, stolen base, Turgeon. Double plays, White to Turgeon to Golvin, Locker to Turgeon to Golvin, Lothas to Behrens to Kearns. Kearns to Lothas. Bases on balls, Drake 5, Moore 2. Struck out, Drake 4, Moore 3, Eberhard 1. Wild pitches, Moore. Drake. Innings pitched, Moore 5 1-3 with 12 hits and 2 runs. Left on base, Beaumont 8. Wichita Falls 5. Time, 1:35. Umpires, Fanning and Kane.

### GEM ROBBERY BEING PROBED

Score of Detectives Investigate \$150,000 Theft

PORT WASHINGTON, L. I., Sept. 11.—More than a score of private detectives were at work today on the Count Mountbatten jewelry robbery in which upwards of \$150,000 in gems were stolen mysteriously from two of the wealthiest families of the United States and England. The losers were Mrs. J. S. Cosden, wife of the multi-millionaire head of the Cosden oil group, and Lady Mountbatten, British noblewoman, who is a member of the Prince of Wales' party.

So far as could be learned no great progress toward solution of the mystery had been made up to today, although the jewels were stolen early Tuesday from the palatial Cosden estate, The Cedars, near Port Washington.

**HOME RUN LEADERS**  
Ruth, Yankees.....41  
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Hauser, Athletics.....26  
Hornsby, Cardinals.....23  
Williams, Phils.....19

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### Do you know Baseball?

QUESTIONS

1. How many home runs had Ruth made in the majors prior to the start of the present season? Please give the figures for each year.—A. R.

2. There is a runner on first. Pitcher is standing in his position on the rubber. Runner breaks for second. The pitcher backs off the rubber and then throws the ball to the second baseman who covered, retiring the runner. The umpire ruled a balk, contending the pitcher did not step toward the base, and was not facing second directly when he made the throw.—A. L. R.

3. Runner on third. Batter hits his high fly which strikes hands of left fielder and bounds out as fielder stumbles and falls to the ground. Center fielder, who came over on the play to back up, catches the ball before it touches the ground. Runner on third holds his base and starts for the plate the moment ball strikes hands of left fielder. Team in field contends he should not have started until ball struck hands of fielder who finally made the catch. What is correct ruling?—D. A. C.

4. There are three men on the bases. As the pitcher starts to wind up the batsman on third races for the plate. Apparently the squeeze play is on, for the batsman tries to bunt the ball but fails. After failing to bunt the ball, the batsman remained in his original position in the batter's box. The catcher appeared to have the ball in plenty of time to retire the runner from third. However, the batsman was blocking the way and the catcher found it necessary to dive for the runner in an effort to complete the out. The force of the collision caused the catcher to drop the ball. The umpire ruled the runner out. When play was resumed the batsman who had blocked the play at the plate hit safely, scoring the tying run. Did the umpire render the proper ruling?—H. A. G.

5. Bases are filled. Umpire rules that pitcher made a balk to third base and allows all runners to advance, forcing in the winning score. Is that correct?—G. T.

**ANSWERS**  
1. Prior to start of 1924 race Ruth had 238 home runs to his credit, made as follows: Four, 1915; three, 1916; two, 1917; 11, 1918; 20, 1919; 54, 1920; 59, 1921; 33, 1922; 41, 1923.

2. Pitcher in backing off the rubber made the play properly. The moment he gets off the rubber he can throw to any base as he pleases.

3. Runner on third had the right to advance the moment the ball struck the hands of the left fielder. He need not wait until it strikes the hands of the fielder who actually made the catch.

4. Interference plays are judgment plays on the part of the umpire. If the umpire was of the opinion that the batsman had made it impossible for the runner to be retired at the plate, he was correct in ruling out the runner who came in from third. With less than two out, and the batsman interfering with a play at the plate, the runner from third is called out.

5. When the umpire rules a balk, all base runners are entitled to advance a base. Such a happening with the bases filled would, of course, force a run over the plate.

### A'S FIGURE ON REVISED TEAM

Elkies Expect to Cop Second Straight

COOK against Karnaky probably will be the hurling aspect of Sunday's game—the second in the series between the Elks and the Athletics for the unsullied championship of Port Arthur. Cook, who pitched the last two innings of Sunday's game, said last night he would probably take the hill against Harry Coughlin's nine. Coughlin says "the boys feel like Pete can win for 'em, and I'll give him a chance."

**Pete Mops Up Central**  
Karnaky was in good form Tuesday when he took a round pitching for Terminal against the fact Central team, practically made up of Elks and Athletics. Karnaky relieved Morgan in the fourth with two men on bases and none down. The first batter to face Pete struck out and the next one sent a weak pop-up to Karnaky. Karnaky grabbed the ball and shot it down to Kinky Donaldson on third about 90 miles an hour to catch the runner off for a double play and the third out.

"Bravo," shouted the crowd and Pete made his little bow. The fifth frame was the last and Central didn't take bats. Karnaky failing to get a further chance.

The Athletics are figuring on sending in an entirely revised lineup Sunday in a desperate effort to even up things after losing the opener, 7-6. Manager Gunn had almost conceded defeat of the Elks last Sunday when the A's drew ahead 6-4 in the seventh, and when the Elks made it 4-1 early in the game Coughlin had just about given up hope for the Athletics. But when the Elks started rallying for three runs in the seventh, Gunn came dashing in and set the batboy "pronto" to catching each and every one of the bludgeons around.

**More on at Shortstop**  
With Karnaky pitching, Manager Coughlin says Perkins will probably play third, with Frank Morgan shifted to shortstop. Albring probably will go to first, with the outfield made up of Hase of Earhart, Krings and Prejean. However, this scheme of things may not stand between now and Sunday. The Elks are expected to send in their same lineup in the second game.

"I know we played the sorriest ball we've ever played last Sunday," said one Elk player. "We can't do any worse. Of course, I know the Athletics made a lot of boneheads they don't generally make."

Talk is the final game of the series, a week from Sunday, may be made into a doubleheader, although this is not certain. This would give every pitcher on either team a chance at a workout.

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**CLEVELAND**—The scheduled fight between Gene Tunney, light heavyweight champion, and Harry Greb, middleweight champion, was again postponed last night. Weather permitting, the battlers will meet Wednesday night, September 17. The fight, originally set for Monday night, has been postponed three times by rain and cold weather.

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### West Ekono Shifts Docking Position

After bunkering at the Gulf company docks last night, the steamer West Ekono shifted to the Texas Company docks this morning to load out a cargo of case oil. The entire cargo will consist of case oil and lumber. The West Ekono is owned by the Lykes-Sgtovich agency. Two other arrivals were reported in shipping circles today, the schooner Edward B. Winslow, which passed up the canal this morning from Orange, and the British steamer Indiana, which arrived at Sabine this morning to take in a cargo of sulphur.

The Sphenoc, one of the Transmarine motor ships, which is more than a week behind her schedule, sailed down from Beaumont this morning to finish loading at the coastwise docks.

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### ARRIVED SEPT. 11

Vessel, Flag, Tonnage, Location Agent

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Sch. Edward B. Winslow, 1906, at Orange, W. H. Tiffin company.

### SAILED SEPT. 11

Trinidad, 1765, to Port Arthur for Jacksonville, Gulf company.

Gulf of Mexico, 4867, from Port Arthur for Rayon, Gulf company.

Knoxville City, 3459, from Port Arthur for Shanghai, Texas Company.

Mar Negro, (Span) 2967, from Beaumont for European ports via Houston, John E. Jones & Company.

Rayo, 2223, from Beaumont for New York, Standard Oil company.

### IN PORT

Texas Company Docks

West Ekono, 3455, Lykes-Sgtovich.

Texas, 5045, Texas Company.

Virginia, 5048, Texas Company.

Gulf company Docks

Gulfcoast, 3297, Gulf company.

Gulftport, 4293, Gulf company.

Armatco, (Bel) 2525, Gulf company.

### Coastwise Docks

Sphenoc, 2147, Transmarine corporation.

### AT BEAUMONT

Socony, 2223, Standard Oil company.

Southwest, 1612, Hall Shipping company.

### AT ORANGE

Sch. Hope Sherwood, 522, Luteher-Moore lumber company.

Norman Isles (Dan), 2714, W. H. Tiffin company.

Sch. Edward B. Winslow, 1906, W. H. Tiffin company.

### AT PORT NECHES

Derbyline, 4348, Texas Company.

### BAROMETER READING

The corrected reading of the barometer (reduced to sea level) at Port Arthur, Texas, on Thursday, Sept. 11, at 7 a. m., was 29.90 inches. This closely approximates 759.5 millimeters.

### TIDE REPORT

The tide in the ship canal at Port Arthur, Texas, on Thursday, September 11, at 8 a. m., according to the U. S. engineers' gauge was 1.5 (one and five-tenths) foot.

### OBSTRUCTIONS TO NAVIGATION

The following was issued through the New Orleans branch of the United States hydrographic office:

August 21—Latitude 45 degrees 30 minutes, longitude 44 degrees 30 minutes, passed the offshoot of a wooden vessel about 100 feet long floating bottom up had the appearance of having been cut in two; the red paint on the bottom appeared to be quite fresh.—Northwestern Miller (British ss). Bailey: Officer Mac Donald.

September 2—About 1 1/2 miles northeast 1-2 east from Cape Henry Lightship the pilot boat Relief reported striking a submerged obstruction.—Branch Hydrographic office, Norfolk, Va.

September 1—Latitude 33 degrees 30 minutes, longitude 78 degrees 22 minutes, a large tree trunk.—Branch Hydrographic office, Savannah.

September 3—Latitude 25 degrees 43 minutes, longitude 75 degrees 11 minutes, passed about 100 pieces of floating lumber about 25 feet long.—Birmingham City.

September 4—About 11 miles bearing E 1/4 N, from American Shoal Lightship, Florida Reefs, passed a log about 30 feet long 2 1/2 feet in diameter.—Comus (ss).

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## PREACHERS "DRAFTED" IN DEFENSE PROGRAM?

"Drafting of Port Arthur ministers for the Defense Day program tomorrow was perhaps slightly rash, members of the Defense Day committee said today.

"Some of the men on the program saw their names in print before they had ever been asked, and we don't want it to appear that we 'drafted' them in any way," it was said.

## MRS. PROTHRO DIES SUDDENLY

### Visiting in Wyoming When Death Claimed Her

Mrs. J. B. Prothro of 1632 Seventh street, died in Casper, Wyoming, yesterday according to word received last night by her husband and family here. Death was due to high blood pressure.

Mrs. Prothro had been visiting with her son, D. D. Prothro, and daughter, Mrs. L. Bauch, in Casper the past seven weeks and her death came as a sudden shock to members of her family in Port Arthur.

May Not Be Buried Here

Funeral arrangements have not been completed, but it is probable that she will be buried in Casper.

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## 7 ADDITIONS MADE CHURCH

### "Miracles" Subject of Rev. Oliphant's Sermon

Last evening's service in the revival at the DeQueen Park Church of Christ resulted in seven additions to the church making a total of thirty-five conversions during the entire revival. The real is being conducted by Evangelist W. L. Oliphant of Oklahoma, and at tonight's services he will speak on "The Unknown Tongues." Announcement will be made tonight whether the meeting will continue through the week.

Speaking on "Miracles" last evening, Rev. Oliphant said, "I do not think it at all unreasonable that there have been miracles performed. Natural law neither begins or ends anything. For instance; I see the giant oak tree in the forest, I ask what produced this oak. I am told that it was produced by an acorn. I then want to know what produced the acorn. I am informed that it was produced by an oak tree. And so on back as far as I can imagine, the acorn produced the oak and the oak produced the acorn. Either the acorn or the oak must have come into existence by miracle. Natural law could never have originated either.

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

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NO. 6—NEW CLOTHES FOR THE COONS



"Say, Uncle Ring, does corn make you fat?" asked Cobby.

"Nancy, Nick & Company," the little shop in the woods was as busy as a bee hive the next few days, getting ready for the opening of school. All the wood children had to have new clothes.

Among others were Mister Ringtail Coon's two nephews, Cobby and Cobby, who had come in from the country to spend the winter with their uncle so they could go to school and learn reading and writing and 'rithmetic.

"Boys," said Mister Ringtail, who was sort of a dude and liked everybody belonging to him to 'look nice, "you'll have to come with me today to see a good tailor. I hear that Nancy, Nick & Company are pretty good. Nick can look you over and make you two new suits apiece. One for Sunday and one for school."

"Oh, we don't like to be stylish," Uncle Ring, begged Cobby. "All the fellows will make fun of us."

"Well, you're all shreds and patches now," said their uncle severely. "and I feel like making fun of you the way you are. Your skin is sticking out, and your buttons are off and you're as shabby as old shoes. My nephews must be willing to do as I say when they are at my house."

"Oh, all right, Uncle Ring," said Cobby, his mouth pulled down at the corners like a wet moon. "If you say so we'll do it, but if we get all nervous and can't eat or anything you'll know it's because we ain't happy. No fellows can be happy with new clothes."

"Ha, ha! The idea!" laughed Mister Ringtail Coon. "You boys not eat! Not eat, indeed, with a whole field of golden bantam corn right under your nose almost. And just at its best now."

"Oh, jimmies!" cried Cobby, digging Cob in the ribs. "I forgot all about Uncle Ring's cornfield. 'Come on, Uncle Ring, we'll go with you and get fitted now. We want to go some place afterwards.'"

"All right," said Mister Coon, hunting up his cane. "Come along. 'Say, Uncle Ring, does corn make fat?' asked Cobby.

"Well, it's what they feed turkeys a week or two before Thanksgiving," said Mister Coon. "So it looks that way."

"My lands! Isn't that the berries?" giggled Cobby. "What a smart brother I have!"

"What's that, boys?" asked Mister Coon, who didn't hear very well. "What's all the fun about?"

"Oh nothing much," said Cobby. "We were just wondering how to have our new suits made Cob wants his made pinch-back with patch pockets, but I think I like a Norfolk and knickers."

"That is much better taste, Cobby," said Mister Coon. "With a nice white collar and bow tie. If you stay with me long enough you'll learn to be nice little gentlemen."

"Sure we will, Uncle Ring," said Cobby and Cobby together, winking at each other.

Honestly they acted just like the Katzenjammer Kids did with the captain. I am sorry to say. They should have been smacked.

At that minute they all arrived at Nancy, Nick & Company's shop where the twins and Mister Ship Snap were working.

(To Be continued)

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CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

By Uncle RAY

GAMA DARES THE SOUTH ATLANTIC

At almost the same time that Columbus set out on his third trip toward America, a great voyage began from Portugal. The plan of that voyage was to go around southern Africa to India.

The man in charge was called Vasco da Gama. He was an able and daring seaman, in whom the king had great faith.

With several small ships, Gama left Lisbon in July, 1497. He sailed southward and was soon in the midst of a great fog. The vessels lost sight of one another but all steered for the Cape Verde Islands. There they joined again and took on board new supplies of food, water and meat.

Then it was that "Captain-Major" Gama ordered a daring move. He told his helmsmen to cut right down through the South Atlantic ocean. Before that, the ships of Portugal had been in the habit of keeping close to the shore. Now the coast was forgotten. It was a battle with the great ocean.

Two weeks passed, and there was no sight of land. There was a sharp wind, and one of the main sails on Gama's own ship was broken. It took 72 hours for it to be repaired.

A few days later, "signs of land" were seen. There were birds "which looked like herons" flying overhead, and there were whales in the water; but land itself could not be sighted.

For three months and a day, they sailed the open sea—then, at 9 o'clock one autumn morning, they beheld the coast.

The joy of the crew was perhaps as great as that of Columbus's men when they reached the first Bahama island. As a matter of fact, the men from Portugal had been longer on the ocean. They were so overjoyed that they fired cannon after cannon and decked their ships with flags.

Anchor was cast in a broad harbor, which they called the Bay of St. Helena. The land sailors had reached the southern end of the continent. The North Star could no longer be seen at night.

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'INSIDE AFFAIR' POLICE BELIEVE

Continue Probe in \$100,000 Jewel Robbery

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Detectives investigating the \$100,000 jewel robbery in the home of J. S. Cosden, oil millionaire, near Port Washington, Long Island, are today convinced the theft was an inside affair.

The jewels were stolen Monday night apparently about the time members of the household were attending a party for the Prince of Wales, but the case was called to the attention of police only today.

Among the jewels stolen were many valuable ones belonging to Lady Louis Mountbatten, a member of the prince's party, who is a guest at the Cosden home. Part of the famous Cosden jewel collection also is missing.

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